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CENTRE SAYS OPPN PARTIES SUPPORT MOTION TO IMPEACH JUSTICE VARMA

Union minister Kiren Rijiju said opposition parties have given their in-principle approval to support the motion in the upcoming monsoon session

SIGNATURES TO BE COLLECTED SOON: RIJIJU

It is still not clear whether the motion would be brought in the Lok Sabha or Rajya Sabha. For Lok Sabha, signatures of a minimum 100 MPs is required. For the Rajya Sabha, the support of at least 50 MPs is required. Rijiju said the process of collecting signatures could begin as soon as the government decides on the House where the motion will be brought

GOVT WANTS ALL OPPN PARTIES ON BOARD

- Once a motion to remove a judge is admitted in a House, the Speaker or Chairman will constitute a three-member committee to investigate the grounds on which the removal has been sought
- Rijiju said since the matter involves corruption in the judiciary, the government wants all political parties to be on board | **P9**

JULY 21

COMMENCEMENT DATE FOR MONSOON SESSION. IT WILL END ON AUGUST 21

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SNUB TO CHINA

Established institution to decide Dalai heir: Rijiju

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

IN a snub to China, Union Minority Affairs Minister Kiren Rijiju on Thursday said the decision on the reincarnation of the Dalai Lama would be taken by the established institution.

"All those who follow the Dalai Lama feel that the Incarnation is to be decided by the established convention and as per the wish of the Dalai Lama himself. Nobody else has the right to decide it except him and the conventions in place," said the minister, himself a practising Buddhist.

The remarks came after China rejected the 14th Dalai Lama's succession plan, claiming it's for Beijing to decide.

Kiren Rijiju

Rijiju and Union minister Rajiv Ranjan Singh will represent the Government of India on the 14th Dalai Lama's 90th birthday event in Dharamshala on Sunday.

On Wednesday, the Dalai Lama reaffirmed that only the Gaden Phodrang Trust—the non-profit organisation he set up to maintain the tradition and institution of the Dalai Lama—has the authority to recognise his future reincarnation. The Dalai Lama said: "Line will continue after me; no other authority can interfere."

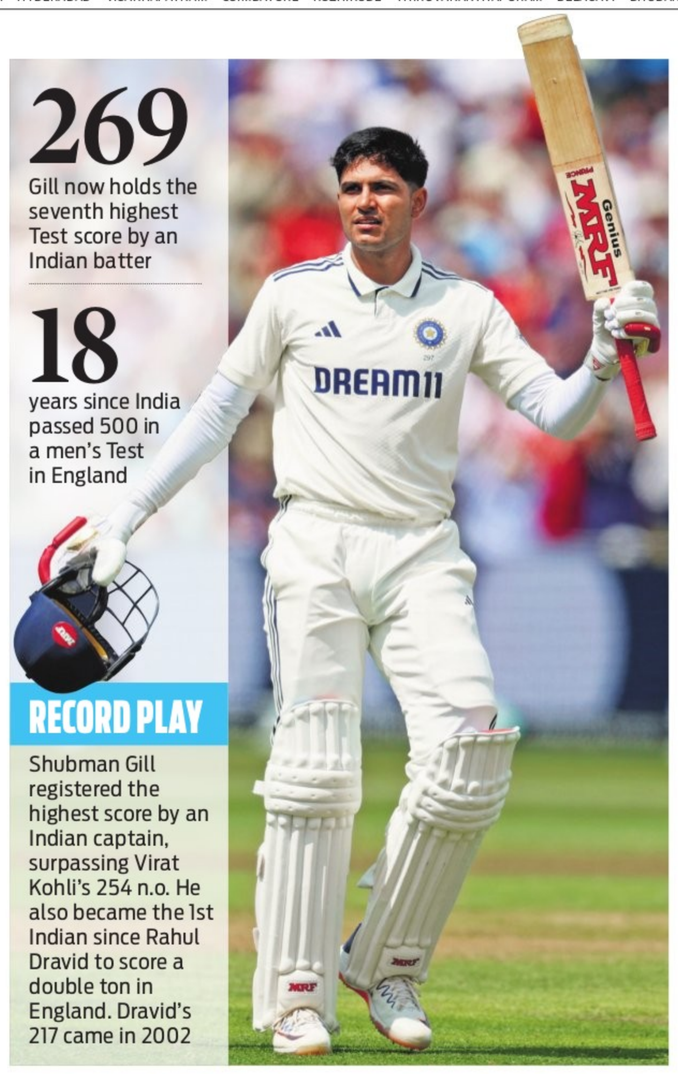
Reacting to this, the Chinese foreign ministry said any such plan must have the approval of the Chinese government.

269
Gill now holds the seventh highest Test score by an Indian batter

18
years since India passed 500 in a men's Test in England

RECORD PLAY

Shubman Gill registered the highest score by an Indian captain, surpassing Virat Kohli's 254 n.o. He also became the 1st Indian since Rahul Dravid to score a double ton in England. Dravid's 217 came in 2002



MASTER & COMMANDER

India captain Shubman Gill celebrates his first double century on day two of the second Test against England at Edgbaston. Gill's 269, along with Ravindra Jadeja's 89, helped India post 587 in the first innings | AP | **MORE ON P15**

Def projects worth ₹1.05 lakh crore get panel's green light

Indigenous sourcing for 10 proposals: Ministry

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

THE Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) on Thursday granted Acceptance of Necessity (AoN) for 10 capital acquisition proposals worth about ₹1.05 lakh crore in all, to strengthen the offensive and defensive abilities of the armed forces.

The council's meeting, chaired by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, approved projects that will be sourced indigenously. The DAC is the highest decision-making body on defence policy and capital procurement. Its AoN is the first step in the acquisition process.

AoNs were accorded for procurement of armoured recovery vehicles, Electronic Warfare System, Integrated Common Inventory Management System for the Tri-Services and surface-to-Air missiles. These procurements will provide higher mobility, effective air defence, improve supply chain management and augment the operational preparedness, the defence ministry said.

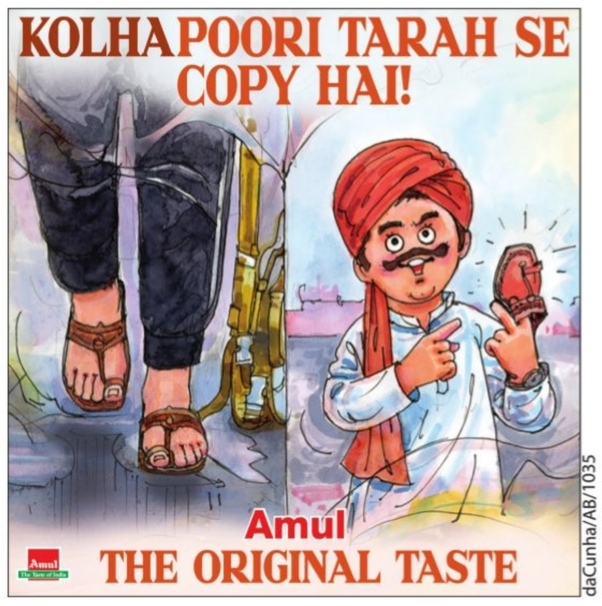
AoNs were also accorded for procurement of moored mines, mine counter measure vessels, super rapid gun mount and submersible autonomous vessels. They are aimed at mitigating potential risks to naval and merchant vessels.

To provide further impetus to indigenous design and development, AoNs were accorded under the Buy Indian-IDDM (Indian-Indigenously Designed Developed and Manufactured) category.

> **Govt must also focus on R&D on emerging threats such as the black swan event of Hamas attack on 7 Oct 2023**
>
> Maj Gen Sudhakar Jee (retd)

The MoD defines Buy (Indian-IDDM) category as the "procurement of products from an Indian vendor that have been indigenously designed, developed and manufactured with a minimum of 50% Indigenous Content (IC) on cost basis of the total contract value."

The Armoured Recovery Vehicles help in recovery of armoured vehicles, including the main battle tanks, in difficult terrain and challenging weather conditions. They assist with recovery and repair during combat conditions.



BBMP staffer attacks resident during SC survey

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

A house owner in Sarvabhoumanagar, Chikkalasandra, was assaulted after questioning the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) staff who were pasting stickers related to the scheduled castes survey without prior consultation with residents.

Municipal staff are required to notify homeowners before conducting surveys or affixing such stickers. However, in this instance, BBMP personnel carried out the task without informing homeowner Nandish, who confronted them. This led to a altercation where the staff slapped and kicked Nandish. The incident was captured by nearby CCTV cameras. The footage went viral on social media, prompting the BBMP to suspend Health Inspector Suresh pending an inquiry. **P2**

The mysterious case of the missing PHC doctor

PRAJNA GR @Madikeri

AN apple a day keeps the doctor away. Apple does not grow in Surlabbi, the tiny Kodagu hamlet, but the villagers wonder what has kept the doctor away from their Primary Health Centre for long.

On most days it is a Group D worker who doubles up as nurse and doctor at the PHC which caters to the healthcare needs of five villages—Surlabbi, Hammiyala, Garvale, Mutlu, Kumbaragadige and Mankya.

The PHC has a doctor on its roster but very few have seen the healer. The health centre is equipped with relatively good infrastructure but it stays locked most of the time.

"A permanent doctor has been posted to the PHC. It is an interior place and there are not many patients. We have asked the doctor to report at the PHC at least three times in a week," said Dr Satish Kumar, District Health Officer.

The villagers are, however, unaware of the doctor's posting as the doctor does not turn up when they queue up at the PHC.

"A Group D worker opens and shuts the PHC. When she is on leave, the centre stays locked. The worker hands over medicines for minor health issues. In case of a major health issue, we have to make arrangements to reach Madapura, which is more than 15-km away," said Mani, a resident of Mutlu.

When *TNIE* visited the PHC, it was locked as the Group D worker had gone on some 'personal errands'. The doctor was, however, not available for comment. The DHO said he would look into the mysterious case of the missing doctor.

Villagers in the lurch

While funds have been sanctioned for development of the PHC, its functioning is not being monitored, leaving the villagers in a dire situation

> **The worker hands over medicines for minor health issues. In case of a major health issue, we have to go to Madapura, over 15-km away**
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> Mani, Mutlu resident

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FIR against Ravikumar over remark against CS

Bengaluru: The Vidhana Soudha police on Thursday registered an FIR against BJP MLC N Ravikumar, over his offensive remark against Chief Secretary Shalini Rajneesh. The Karnataka State Commission for Women has also taken up a suo motu case against Ravikumar |**P4**

Baramani back to work, resignation up to govt

Dharwad: Additional SP Narayan Baramani, who had submitted his resignation, resumed duty on Thursday, after Chief Minister Siddaramaiah spoke to him. He has, however, left the final decision to the government | **P4**

U.S. CONG PASSES TRUMP'S SPENDING BILL

The House on Thursday narrowly passed Donald Trump's flagship tax and spending bill, which he calls the "big, beautiful bill", 218 to 214, marking the first major legislative victory of his second presidential term | **P12**

Rahul cites *TNIE*, says farmers ignored

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

CITING a report published in these columns on the number of farmer suicides in Maharashtra, Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Thursday hit out at the Centre for remaining indifferent to the plight of farmers.

On Wednesday, this newspaper reported that as many as 767 farmers died by suicide in Maharashtra between January and March 2025. The disclosure was made by Relief and Rehabilitation Minister Makrand Patil in the assembly in a written reply to a question by the opposition Congress on the rising number of farm suicides, particularly in Vidarbha, and the rehabilitation measures.

Rahul accused the government of ignoring farmers' demands for a loan waiver and a legal guarantee for minimum support price (MSP) for crops.

Sharing a screenshot of the *TNIE* report, he wrote, "Think about it... in just 3 months, 767 farmers committed suicide in Maharashtra. Is this just a statistic? No. These are 767 destroyed homes. 767 families that will never be able to recover. And the government? It is silent. It is watching indifferently..." Congress leader Priyanka Gandhi joined Rahul in attacking the government over the report.

Rahul Gandhi
@RahulGandhi

Whopping 767 Maha farmer suicides recorded in 3 months

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @Mumbai

THE Maharashtra government on Tuesday revealed in the legislative assembly that between January and March this year

Steps to curb deaths

The state government said it has undertaken measures to stop the suicides. "Govt is

Of them, 376 farmers were eligible for the Maharashtra government's compensation. Patil said as many as 257 farmers died by suicide in western Vidarbha's Yavatmal, Amravati,

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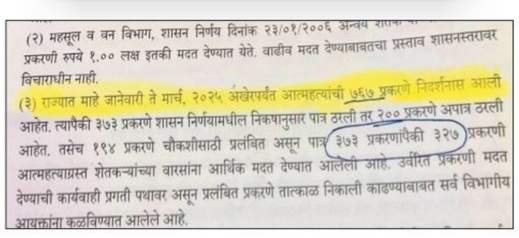

Written response by minister Makrand Patil to a question on Tuesday reveals **767 suicides in Maharashtra in the first three months of 2025**. State agriculture minister Manikrao Kokate on Thursday claimed he had no idea where the data was sourced from

ALMANAC TODAY
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Moonrise 01.27 pm
Moonset 12.41 am

3 BBMP OFFICIALS SUSPENDED OVER SHODDY SURVEY WORK

They had failed to notify families before pasting stickers on houses

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THE Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara has placed three revenue officials under suspension for dereliction of duty in connection with the ongoing comprehensive scheduled caste survey.

Ramesh, revenue inspector and Peddaraju, revenue collector, attached to the HBR Layout ward, failed to notify SC households before pasting stickers on their houses as a formality to complete the survey. They have been suspended for this negligence.

In the case of Ramesh, The Palike initiated an inquiry following a video from June 27 showing the enumerators under him just pasting stickers at households and not talking to families regarding the caste status. A senior official had issued a notice and sought an explanation. Since Ramesh failed to give a satisfactory reply, he was placed under suspension as he failed to supervise his subordinates' in pasting stickers.

Similarly, Peddaraju also failed in supervising accountants and others who were engaged as enumerators under his jurisdiction. These subordinates too pasted stickers on houses without holding any discussions with the families.

The BBMP also placed Tax Collector Senthil Kumar of Kengeri ward under suspension over dereliction of duty in carrying out the survey.

Graft: Court rejects bail plea of Palike engineer

YATHIRAJU @Bengaluru

THE trapping of more than six BBMP engineers within a span of two weeks shows the range of corruption and its impact on society, said the Special Court for Lokayukta Cases while rejecting the bail application filed by HV Yarappareddy, Executive Engineer, Sir CV Raman Nagar Division, BBMP East Zone.

Yarappareddy was arrested by the Lokayukta police on June 17 after he collected Rs 10 lakh as bribe from the contractor for the release of the bill for the work undertaken pertaining to the comprehensive development of drainages and roads from the BBMP through a private firm.

"In the BBMP, no one can expect the work at the hands of the officials without paying illegal gratification", observed Judge KM Radhakrishna while passing the order rejecting the bail application of the accused.

Hemanth GM, a civil contractor, did the civil work during 2023-24 and submitted the bill for payment. The accused engineer has kept those bills pending with him without clearing. He made a call through his friend's mobile number to the accused, who in turn demanded the undue advantage of Rs 10 lakh to do the official favour in the matter of clearing the bills. Unable to pay the bribe, the contractor approached the Lokayukta police, who laid the trap and arrested the accused along with the bribe money on June 17.

Before the court, the accused, through his counsel, claimed that there was no demand by him and acceptance of a bribe, but a story of 'demand and acceptance' was created by the complainant with the help of his friend, whose mobile phone was used to call the accused.

Opposing the bail application, the public prosecutor apprised the court as to how the accused was actively involved in the crime and the impact on the prosecution witnesses if he is released on bail, besides destroying the evidence.

The court observed that the material prima facie goes to expose the direct involvement of the accused in committing the alleged offence, which is socio-economic in nature.

Three months ago, the BWSSB started work to lay pipelines along the footpath on Narayan Pillai Street in Shivajinagar. Now, it has become an open drain with the accumulation of rainwater and dumping of garbage | VINOD KUMAR T

PCB orders flouted as rampant construction worsens pollution

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

EVEN as Bengaluru is enjoying short rain spells and strong winds, many are complaining of rising dust pollution in the city.

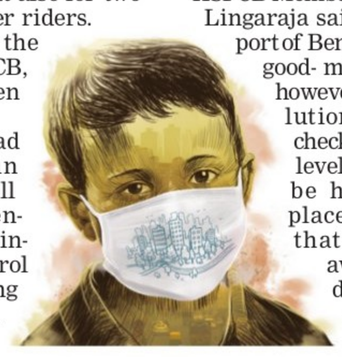
Most parts of the city are experiencing dust pollution because of poor road conditions, ongoing civil works on roads and footpaths, construction activities on government and private lands as the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB) orders of covering the construction site, regularly using water sprinklers and maintaining roads and footpaths are not being followed.

"Most roads are muddy and potholed filled. While the BBMP and BWSSB have taken up repair works, there is also construction activities going on. Due to all these activities, the road dust is high. Children are most vulnerable and the weather is making matters worse," said Prathima D, a resident of Vijayanagar.

Similar was the complaint of residents from Sarjapura, Yelahanka, Marathahalli, Mysuru Road and Magadi Road. "I was earlier staying in Sarjapura where the roads are in a bad condition and dust was flying around very high. I recently shifted to Byatarayanapura, because of the proximity to my office. Matters are worse here. Increased construction activities have made matters worse," said Devika P, a corporate professional.

Jyothika S, a resident of Yelahanka New Town, said construction sites are not covered. "There are no proper roads in the area. There is mud and dust. This is not just dangerous to pedestrians but also for two and three-wheeler riders. Despite raising the issue to the KSPCB, nothing has been done," she said.

The KPSCB had issued orders in 2019, directing all government agencies and private institutions to control road dust by using dust suppression systems like water sprinklers. The National Green Tribunal had also issued orders in 2018 to ensure adequate measures are taken to control dust pollution. As per IMD data, winds are blowing at a speed of 40-50 kmph in Bengaluru and surrounding areas.



Officials in the KSPCB admitted that they were not aware of such orders. "Besides many a days it rains and hence the Air Quality Index (AQI) is under check. However on dry days, we are unable to check because of staff crunch," said a senior KSPCB official not wanting to be named.

KSPCB Member Secretary SS Lingaraja said, the AQI report of Bengaluru reports good- moderate levels, however this dust pollution needs to be checked as the PM10 levels are found to be high in some places. He added that he was not aware of the orders and assured to look into it.

Ferrari owner coughs up ₹1.4-cr road tax

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Transport officials have reportedly collected Rs 1.4 crore in road taxes from the owner of a Ferrari that was seized for plying in Karnataka without paying road taxes. Officials of the Bangalore South Regional Transport Office (RTO) intercepted the Ferrari, bearing a Maharashtra registration number, on Wednesday. The owner was given time till evening to clear the road taxes or face action. Later in the day, the owner is said to have settled the road tax of Rs 1.4 crore.

Transport officials have been cracking down on luxury vehicles plying in the state without clearing the road taxes. Luxury car owners get their vehicles registered in other states and union territories, as the road taxes there are far lower than in Karnataka. Early this year, the transport department served notices to 30 high-end car owners to pay taxes and was expecting to collect over Rs 3 crore.

125 cases against overcharging autos

Transport officials on Wednesday continued their crackdown on autorickshaws that were overcharging customers. They slapped 125 cases against auto drivers and seized 22 vehicles for operating without valid documents.

EXPRESS READ

KEA UG NEET rank list of 87,909 candidates

Bengaluru: The Karnataka Examinations Authority (KEA) has released the UG NEET rank list of 87,909 candidates who had selected Karnataka in their application. The highest scorer in the state secured 670 marks, while the lowest qualifying score stood at 113. Prepared by the Directorate of Medical Education, the list is now available on the official KEA website. A separate link for NEET counselling registration, requiring candidates to enter their NEET roll number will be activated in the coming days. **ENS**

Survey staff told to adhere to protocol

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IN his defense, Suresh claimed that the homeowner initiated the confrontation by using abusive language and attempting to physically assault him. He argued that his reaction was prompted by the offensive remarks directed at his mother. "The resident came and verbally abused me, and when he tried to hit me, I pushed him away in anger. The neighbours can confirm that I was provoked," Suresh added.

As of now, no formal police complaint has been lodged in connection with the incident. However, following the widespread backlash from the viral video, BBMP has issued a directive to all staff involved in the survey to maintain decorum, exercise patience, and adhere to proper protocols during future surveys.

Open Day at Bangalore Institute of Technology tomorrow

Bangalore Institute of Technology (BIT) will host an Open Day at its KR Road campus on Saturday. With a legacy of academic excellence, BIT currently offers 13 undergraduate programmes, five postgraduate programmes across engineering and management disciplines, and 13 R&D centres, according to a press release from BIT. The Open Day aims to provide a comprehensive glimpse into the academic, innovative and mentoring environment that BIT nurtures. Key highlights include student project exhibition showcasing innovative and application-driven projects, interaction sessions between faculty members and parents and aspiring students and mock CET counselling to guide prospective students in making informed decisions during the admission process. For more details, log on to: www.bit-bangalore.edu.in or call 080-26613237/26615865. **ENS**

This govt PU student develops facial-recognition attendance system

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

A government PU college student in Puttur, Dakshina Kannada, has developed a face-recognition-based attendance system that not only records student attendance within seconds but also sends an instant message on the Telegram app to parents every time their child arrives at school.

Arun Kumar V, a PU II student at Government PU College, Kombettu in Puttur taluk, created the system using his knowledge from the IT stream under the National Skills Qualifications Framework (NSQF), which he has been studying since Class 9. Inspired by his learning at the Atal Tinkering Lab - innovation workspaces established in schools across India by the Atal Innovation Mission (AIM), a flagship initiative of NITI Aayog, Arun spent three months designing and building the system with guidance from his IT teacher, Ashlesh Kumar.

The device uses a web camera to recognise students' faces as they arrive at school. Once identified, the student's name appears on a display screen, and a message is immediately sent to their parents' phone. This message includes name, date, time, and confirmation of attendance. Before using the system, each student must be registered by entering their name, class, section, parents' mobile number, and five photographs taken from different angles.

Daily at 11 am, the system generates a PDF report of the attendance, which is sent to the head master's phone via the Telegram app. At the same time, students who have not been marked present are registered as absent, and their parents receive an alert. After that point, the system does not allow further attendance entries for the day.

The device has the capacity to store information for 500 students and takes just 1-2 seconds to record each entry. In schools, one device can handle up to 200 students. The current version, which is still in the experimental stage, was built using low-cost equipment, bringing the total cost to approximately Rs 13,000. However, this cost may increase for larger-scale production. The system is powered by a Raspberry Pi motherboard, and includes other parts to hold the components. For full functionality, the device needs to be connected to the internet via Wi-Fi.

Arun said that with further changes, his model can be adopted in more schools across the state.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

04TH July : I have a feeling that many Geminians, Librans and Aquarians will be changing their minds not once, or twice, but an infinite number of times. But that same process of endless change in plans and proposals will affect all of us, so if decisions have to be overturned, today's the day.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
At work you should be in the saddle. Come to think of it, you should be at the controls at home as well. Few people realise that your success is based on your ability to exercise sensible day-to-day control, not just on sheer nerve. Today's one of those days to be businesslike, even in family affairs.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
You should allow matters of an intensely personal nature to take their own course, as any mistimed intervention could introduce complications. Turn your attention to overseas contacts. But you'll also soon be looking inward, searching for the answers to life's many mysteries.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
With Mars currently pounding away through a deeply personal section of your solar chart, you may be under pressure to act, and act fast. If you resist, you'll begin to feel more uncomfortable, so accept what must be done and resolve to take the lead.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
It really is a moment for common sense. I don't think that anyone will have ideas to match yours when it comes to efficiency, organisation and practicality. Yet if family members are involved, you must take nothing, repeat nothing, for granted.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
As a rule, you should always jump in at the deep end and refuse to allow anyone to hold you back. You can expect radical initiatives at work, perhaps prompted by partners with unusual ideas. Also, do take quick steps to deal with any long-standing personal irritation - and try to find a peaceful path.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
You do tend by nature to keep a stiff upper lip and pretend that nothing is wrong. However, it may be a material problem, perhaps a financial matter, possibly something to do with a lover or child, which eventually forces you to face up to simmering discontent.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
There will almost certainly be a confrontation over domestic matters, but not necessarily a painful one. Indeed, you may relish the prospect of clearing the air and breaking free with one almighty bound. But even if you do get your own way, don't relax - at least not just yet.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Few people realise that behind your occasionally devious tendencies lies a profound desire to create universal peace and harmony. This noble ambition will be a very prominent motivation over the next four or five weeks, though colleagues may continue to misunderstand your motives.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
I know that you want to live a life that is more fulfilling and complete, but today you'll be reminded of the fact that much depends on what you can afford. Yet, above all, it's a time to develop and expand your unique creative gifts and skills. Why don't you show the world what you're made of?

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
The celestial spotlight will be on you today. At work and at home others will be looking to you to take charge and sort things out. Family members are likely to expect you to seize the initiative, but you should only accept such responsibility if you're completely happy with it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Your stars are at once increasingly devious and exceptionally idealistic. So why don't you minimise the former tendency and maximise the latter? Also, do pursue any private spiritual interests, whatever people say. You see this is a time to broaden your horizons in all directions.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Do give more attention to business matters. You are attracted by the prospect of teaming up with others in profitable enterprises, but don't surrender control. Pin people down and give vague promises short shrift. And, remember, if a job is worth doing, you'll probably end up doing it yourself!

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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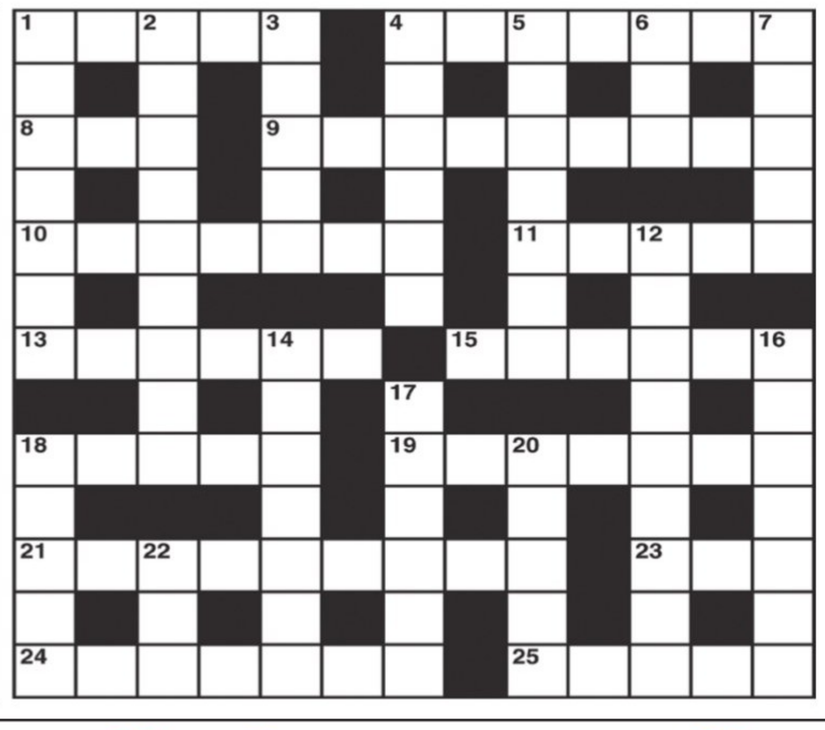

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1 Dry run for an examination (5)
4 A means of support so backward but opportune (7)
8 Haul back the fishing line (3)
9 A sign that some of us are mending our ways (9)
10 This animal won't always die a natural death (7)
11 Literary work? Yes, as it turns out (5)
13 They're up for approval (6)
15 Slips things under the microscope (6)
18 Colour for putting on (5)
19 A murder suspect one hears (7)
21 He can cut quite a figure in the garden (9)
23 Lawbreaking tool (3)
24 Cover charge? (7)
25 Breaks supports (5)

DOWN
1 A tower of strength? (7)
2 Begin to make an acquaintance (9)
3 Audibly praises noble English house (5)
4 They disturb and get a number up in arms (6)
5 Rough treatment for unseasoned wood (3,4)
6 Knock up a short paragraph (3)
7 In a crisis sympathy helps a weak person (5)
12 The ways in which an adder is so wriggly (4,5)
14 New Belgian language (7)
16 Patterns plentiful in ship construction (7)
17 She may raise people's spirits (6)
18 Rise and dress (3-2)
20 Reversible blade (5)
22 Crusty type? (3)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Sedan chair, 8 Put on, 9 England, 10 Student, 11 Basil, 12 Totems, 14 Latins, 17 Venus, 19 Umbrage, 21 Lariats, 22 Waist, 23 Headstrong.

Down: 2 Entrust, 3 Annie, 4 Create, 5 Algebra, 6 Reaps, 7 Adolescent, 8 Positively, 13 Mascara, 15 Iranian, 16 Nurses, 18 North, 20 Bower.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

MIBPL

VANAI

TRAAEK

MOCNOM

Doggone it! Max bumped me!
Good boy! You need steadier hands.
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AFTER LOSING A GAME OF "OPERATION" WHEN THE DOG BUMPED HER HAND, SHE HAD ---

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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: AUDIT MONEY TRUDGE ACCESS
Answer: To get a royal flush playing poker, you just have to get cards that — SUIT YOUR NEEDS

A 23-year-old youth was critically injured after he was stabbed by a minor over a dispute in Samartha Nagar in Belagavi, making it the second such incident within a week. The victim, Aditya Gajanan Suldhal, who was going home on his motorcycle at night, had asked the minor to move the parked bike that was blocking the way. An argument broke out and the accused allegedly stabbed Suldhal with a knife

CM'S CLAIMS ON VAX FACTUALLY WRONG, SAYS BIOCON FOUNDER

Says Indian vax aligned to global standards

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

REFUTING Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's remark that the Covid-19 vaccine might be a reason for a sudden spike in heart attack-related deaths, Biocon founder Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw on Wednesday said that the vaccines were approved under the 'Emergency Use Authorisation' framework, adding that the CM was factually incorrect, contributing to public misinformation.

On July 1, Siddaramaiah had claimed that it cannot be denied that the hasty approval and distribution of the Covid-19 vaccine to the public could also be a reason for heart attack deaths. Immediately, the Union Health Ministry took objection to his statement, and dismissed the Covid vaccine link with heart attack deaths.

"Covid-19 vaccines developed in India were approved under the Emergency Use Authorisation framework, following rigorous protocols aligned with global standards for safety and efficacy," Kiran said on Wednesday, in her reply to the CM's X post.

"To suggest that these vaccines were 'hastily' approved is factually incorrect and contributes to public misinformation," the Biocon founder stated. She further went on to say that these vaccines have saved millions of lives and, like all vaccines, may cause side effects in a very small number of individuals. "It is important to acknowledge the science and data-driven processes behind their development, rather than engage in retrospective blame," she ended.

Vaccine concerns not misinformation: CM

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah on Thursday responded to Biocon founder Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw after she dismissed his remarks linking Covid-19 vaccination to heart attack-related deaths in Karnataka's Hassan district. Shaw had called his statement not only factually incorrect but also misleading. Taking to X, Siddaramaiah said that seeking clarity on sudden deaths following vaccination was not misinformation, but rather an act of governance rooted in empathy. "As Chief Minister, I have a duty to respond to the genuine concerns of people who have lost loved ones unexpectedly. When parents lose their young children or families lose breadwinners without warning, seeking clarity is not misinformation; it is an act of governance rooted in empathy," he posted.

Om Prakash's daughter booked for vandalising milk parlour

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KRITI, daughter of murdered DG&IGP Om Prakash, has been accused of vandalising a Nandini milk parlour near HSR Layout Sector 6, police said on Thursday. The incident reportedly occurred late Monday evening.

According to police, Kriti allegedly entered the shop, attacked the owner, and smashed glass jars containing biscuits and other Nandini products. She then reportedly left the scene, pretending to be unaware of what had happened. The jurisdictional HSR Layout police registered a Non-Cognizable Report (NCR) against her. A video of the incident has since gone viral.

In the video, the parlour owner claims that Kriti stood outside the shop, staring at him silently. When he asked her to move aside as she was disturbing other customers, she allegedly barged into the shop and began throwing glass bottles. He alleged that she physically attacked him when he tried to intervene.

"There were customers in the shop. I asked her to step aside as she was just staring at me without saying a word. Without any provocation, she stormed in and began damaging the jars. She even twisted my hands and attacked me," the owner narrates in the video, and also displays injuries he sustained.

Bystanders who gathered asked her to stay until the police arrived, but she reportedly left.

Kriti is believed to be in depression and has been staying alone in a multi-storeyed residential building. Following the murder of her father, her mother Pallavi is currently in judicial custody, while her brother Karthikesh is said to be living separately. Om Prakash was found dead on April 20.

ASHAKIRANA KENDRAS TO OFFER FREE CATARACT SURGERIES

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DEPUTY Chief Minister and Bangalore Urban Development Minister DK Shivakumar and Health and Family Welfare Minister Dinesh Gundu Rao inaugurated the "Ashakirana Drishti Kendra" at Dr Balagangadharanath Swamiji Multi-Speciality Hospital in Govindarajanagar M C Layout on Thursday. This was in collaboration with the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP), National Health Mission, National Blindness and Visual Impairment Control Programme and Sight Saver Swayamsevak Sanstha. With 11 such centres spread across BBMP, the municipality aims to offer free cataract surgeries and spectacles to the poor and needy free of cost.

"Among the 11 Ashakirana Drishti Kendras, five centres will be provided with human resources, surgical equipment and spectacle distribution services under CSR initiatives," said Sirajuddin Madani, Chief Health Officer (CHO), BBMP. He added these centres are part of a total of 393 designated Ashakirana Vision Centres operating in Karnataka.

The CHO also added that the facility will be available at JJR Nagar Public Hospital, Halasuru Maternity Hospital, H Siddaiah Road Maternity Hospital, Hosahalli Maternity Hospital, R C Pura Maternity Hospital, Banashankari Maternity Hospital, Gauri Palya Maternity Hospital, Rampur Hospital, Indiranagar Public Hospital, Jayanagar Public Hospital and KC General Hospital, Malleswaram. Local MLA Priya Krishna, Special Commissioner of the Health Department Suralkar Vikas Kishore, National Health Mission Director Avinash Memon Rajendran, Zonal Joint Commissioner Sangappa and other officials were present.

Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar undergoes an eye check-up during the inauguration of the Ashakirana Drishti Kendra at Dr Balagangadharanatha Swamiji Multi-Speciality Hospital, in Govindarajanagar,Bengaluru, on Thursday | EXPRESS

CRIME PATROL

Caught on camera: Coffee shop staff assaulted over extra cup demand

Bengaluru: The Seshadripuram police have arrested a 33-year-old man and are on the lookout for his two associates after they assaulted a staff member at a coffee shop over an extra coffee cup. The incident occurred on Wednesday evening around 6.30 pm at Namma Filter Coffee, located at Kumara Park West on Seshadripuram Main Road. The accused barged into the serving area and began attacking the victim, hurling a volley of abuses and mercilessly beating and kicking him after he refused to provide an extra cup, citing the restaurant's policy. The victim was also struck on the head. The other staff members tried to intervene and protect him. The entire incident was captured on a CCTV camera installed inside the shop. The arrested individual, V Arun Kumar, is a resident of Nagappa Street in Palace Guttahalli. The victim, Islamull, a native of Assam, has been working at the coffee shop for the past six months. Kumar was arrested based on Islamull's complaint. "Kumar, along with his two friends, had ordered coffee. They asked for an extra cup to mix the coffee. The victim, citing the shop's policy, refused and told them to order another coffee if they needed an extra cup. Frustrated by this, the trio began arguing with him. The verbal altercation escalated, and the staff member was assaulted. One of the accused has been arrested, and a search is on for the others," stated a police officer.

Infy Foundation funds free maternal, child healthcare

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INFOSYS Foundation, the CSR arm of Infosys, on Wednesday announced a partnership with Prashanthi Balamandira Trust, an organisation that provides education, healthcare, nutrition, and community service free of charge in Karnataka, to support free medical services for women and children in rural Karnataka. The foundation will provide a grant of over Rs 48 crore to Sri Sathya Sai Sarla Memorial Hospital in Chikkaballapur, which functions under the Sri Madhusudan Sai Institute of Medical Sciences and Research (SMSIMSR).

The funds will be used to improve healthcare facilities, especially in areas related to maternal and child care.

The hospital will offer services such as maternity care, pediatric treatment, gynaecological procedures, and heart-related interventions and surgeries for children.

All services will be provided free of cost.

Sri Madhusudan Sai, founder of SMSIMSR and trustee of the Prashanthi Balamandira Trust, said the support from Infosys Foundation will help improve services for women and children, who otherwise struggle to access quality healthcare. He added that the hospital, as a teaching institution, will use the new facilities to train medical and nursing students.

Infosys Foundation trustee Sunil Kumar Dhareshwar said the aim is to make essential healthcare available to people who cannot afford it.

Woman inhales pin while shopping, gets it removed after a month

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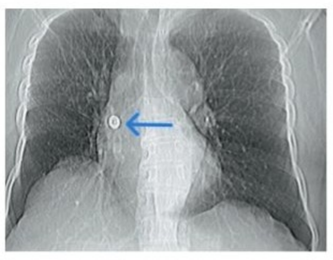
A 55-year-old woman who unknowingly inhaled a sharp metallic cloth pin while shopping was successfully treated, after the object remained lodged deep in her lung for over a month.

Despite visiting multiple healthcare centres, the cause of her persistent dry cough went undiagnosed until advanced imaging at Aster CMI revealed the foreign body embedded in her right lung's bronchus intermedius. In a rare and complex intervention, doctors retrieved the pin using a minimally invasive bronchoscopic technique involving a Fogarty balloon catheter, a type of procedure that allows doctors to look inside the airways, avoiding further damage to the airway and ensuring a full recovery.

The woman had placed the pin in her mouth while checking clothes in a shop. When she suddenly sneezed, the pin slipped into her airway and got stuck in a part of the right lung called the bronchus intermedius. Over the next few weeks, she had a dry cough and wheezing but no one could figure out the cause, despite her visiting multiple hospitals.



Doctors at Aster CMI took detailed scans, including a chest X-ray and CT scan, which clearly showed the pin stuck inside and attached to the airway wall. Dr Sunil Kumar K, Lead Consultant - Interventional Pulmonologist at the hospital, said the pin's sharp end had pierced into the lung, making it risky to remove with normal tools. So, the team used a Fogarty balloon to gently move it out and then pulled it out using special forceps, all done while the patient was under sedation.

She recovered well and was sent home in a stable condition with no breathing issues. The hospital said this case shows how important it is to diagnose unusual causes of cough and to be careful about keeping sharp objects near the mouth.

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Sr. No.: 1. Name of work: Design, Supply, Erection, Testing and Commissioning of 25KV, 50Hz, Single phase, Traction Over Head Equipment for proposed Sarzora station of Konkan Railway of Karwar region. **Tender Notice No.: KR-KW-EL-T-37-2024-RT, Date: 04.07.2025. Cost of work**: Rs.157.97 lakh (excluding GST). **Last Date & Time for Submission of Bid**: 28.07.2025 up to 15:00 hrs.

Sr. No.: 2. Name of work: Provision of lighting arrangement for station building, platform No.1, circulating area, approach road, provision of pumping arrangement and provision of Air Conditioner units for Sarzora station of Konkan Railway under Karwar region. **Tender Notice No.: KR-KW-EL-T-11-2025, Date: 04.07.2025. Cost of work**: Rs.44.63 lakh (excluding GST). **Last Date & Time for Submission of Bid**: 28.07.2025 up to 15:00 hrs.

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It is hereby notified that, our clients have agreed to purchase the Schedule Property from its Owner **SMT.RAMA VARADHARAJAN** only daughter of late Sri.D.R.Seshadrivasan, W/o Sri.J.Varadharajan, residing in the Schedule Property. If any persons have any manner of claim, right, title, interest or demand of any nature in or over the Schedule Property, they are hereby requested to file their objections along with the photocopies of the documents on which they are relying, with the undersigned within **14 (Fourteen) days** from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on our clients.

SCHEDULE

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North by : Road
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PUBLIC NOTICE

I the undersigned advocate on behalf of my clients **Sri. Krishnappa & another** have filed the above petition for the death certificate of **Munivenkatamma W/o Late .N.P.Maleyappa was died on 20/02/1992** at Pura Village, Vijayapura Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk. If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same can appear before the Civil Judge and JMFC at Devanahalli and date of hearing **on 13/8/25 at 11.00 A.M in C.Misc No. 305/2025.**

By Order of the Court, Sd/- Chief Ministerial Officer
Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli
Smt. USHA .A, Advocate

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E - PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE (PAPER NOTIFICATION)

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1. Name and Address of the Borrower: 1. M/s. ARC Musicq Private Limited, represented by its Director Mr. Ramprasad Padmanabhan, A Company incorporated under Companies Act 2013 having its registered office at No.117, 1st Floor, 2nd Main Road, RHCS Layout, Annapurneshwari Nagar, Bengaluru-560091. **Also at: Mr. Ramprasad Padmanabhan,** No.624, 7th Main Road, "D" Group Layout, Vishwaneedam Post, Srigandhada Kavalu, Vishwaneedam, Bengaluru-560091. **3. Mr. N Balaji** S/o Late P G N Murthy, No.7, D Block, "SRIVARI HOMES", Flat S-5, 2nd Floor, Yamuna Street, Anjaneyaswamy Layout, Bengaluru-560097.

Account Number : IPL-296 **Limit Amount : Rs.4,00,00,000/-**

Out Standing Loan Amount :- Rs. 3,28,37,242/- (Rupees Three Crore Twenty Eight Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Forty Two Only) as on **11.06.2025** together with further interest thereon with effect from **12.06.2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realisation.

Date of NPA: 30.04.2025 **Demand Notice dtd: 25.06.2025** **Branch : Rajajinagara - Bangalore**

Description of the property :- (Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower), All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.63, formed by Karnataka Area Development Authority, in Survey No.93 and 95, situated at 4th Main Road, 3rd Phase, Peenya Industrial Area, Peenya, Bengaluru-560058 and measuring on the East to West 85 feet and on the North to South 112 feet, in all 9520 square feet. Bounded By: East: 15 feet Passage, West: Property bearing No.62, North: Northern portion of the property bearing No.63 belongs to Sri. P N Ramesh, South: 40 feet Road. Built Area: about GF=900 sq.ft. + FF=500 sq.ft. + Rear Building 1890 sq.ft. with RCC Roofing + AC Sheet=Main Bldg=1590 sq.ft. + Side Bldg=1500 sq.ft.

2. Name and Address of the Borrower: 1. Mrs. S R Sampath Laxmi W/o S Dwarakanath, No.92, Flat No.103, Nalakala Apartment, East Park Road, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003. **2. Mr. K S Ravishankar** S/o K N Somasundaram, No.374/15, 5th Main Road, Srinagar, Bangalore-560050.

Account Number : IPL-117 **Limit Amount : Rs.50,00,000/-**

Out Standing Loan Amount :- Rs.13,86,420/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Eighty Six Thousand Four Hundred Twenty Only) as on **31.05.2025** together with further interest thereon with effect from **01.06.2025** at the contractual rates together with costs, charges, other monies until payment or realisation.

Date of NPA: 12.05.2021 **Demand Notice dtd: 25.06.2025** **Branch : Chamrajpet - Bangalore**

Description of the property :- (Details of Hypothecated assets and details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower), All that part and parcel of the House Property bearing New No.15(Old No.374), PID No.53-5-15, situated at 5th Main Road, Srinagar, Ward No.53, Bangalore-560050. and measuring East to West 60 feet and North to South 20feet, in all measuring 1200 sq.ft. Bounded By: East: Property bearing No.425, West: 5th Main Road, North: Portion of the same property, South: Property bearing No.373. Built up Area: about GF=950 sq. ft. with RCC Roofing House.

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Place : Bangalore **The Hotel Industrialists Co-Op Bank Ltd.**

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25th ANNUAL CONVOCATION
(Part-1)

President

Shri. Thaawarchand Gehlot
Hon'ble Governor of Karnataka and Chancellor of the University

Chief Guest and Convocation Address

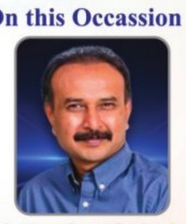
Prof. Ajay Kumar Sood
Principal Scientific Advisor to the Govt. of India and Padmashree Awardee

Guest of Honour

Dr. M. C. Sudhakar
Hon'ble Minister of Higher Education, Govt. of Karnataka and Pro-Chancellor of the University

On this Occassion

Dr. V. Narayanan
Chairman, Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO), Bengaluru



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Date : 04-07-2025 at 11:00 AM | Venue : Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Auditorium "Jnana Sangama", VTU, Belagavi

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Agriculture Minister N Chaluvarayaswamy on Thursday claimed that both CM Siddaramaiah and DCM DK Shivakumar are on good terms, and the Congress government will complete its full term in office. "There is no need for the BJP to create any confusion," he added

WORDS IN QUESTION

FIR AGAINST RAVIKUMAR FOR OFFENSIVE REMARK AGAINST CS

State Women's Commission takes up suo motu case

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Vidhana Soudha police on Thursday registered an FIR against BJP MLC and Opposition whip in the Council, N Ravikumar, over his offensive remark against Chief Secretary Shalini Rajneesh.

Meanwhile, the Karnataka State Commission For Women took up a suo motu case against Ravikumar on Thursday. The commission has also written to the Bengaluru City Police Commissioner to look into the offensive remarks against the Chief Secretary by the BJP MLC and submit a report within a week.

Nagarathna (50), a social worker and president of Nandadeepa Mahila Sangha, filed the complaint against Ravikumar on Thursday at the Vidhana Soudha police station. The police have booked Ravikumar under Sections that deal with sexual harassment, outraging modesty of a woman, and criminal intimidation.

In her complaint, Nagarathna stated that on Wednesday afternoon while watching TV, she saw a news segment which showed a protest organised by the BJP near the Mahatma Gandhi statue near Vidhana Soudha. While addressing the gathering, Ravikumar made an objectionable statement about the Chief Secretary. He (Ravikumar) said, "She works for the government at night and for the CM during the day."

"I was deeply hurt upon hearing this on television," Nagarathna mentioned.

Horatti seeks answers from BJP MLC

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STATE Legislative Council Chairman Basavaraj Horatti on Thursday sought an explanation from BJP MLC **N Ravikumar** for allegedly making derogatory remarks against Chief Secretary Shalini Rajaneesh. However, the BJP MLC has denied the charges made against him.

Earlier in the day, Congress MLC and chief whip Saleem Ahmed and other Congress MLCs filed a complaint with Horatti, demanding that Ravikumar be divested of his membership. Horatti told reporters that Congress members have given a complaint, demanding action against the MLC. "I have written to Ravikumar seeking his explanation. Once I get his reply, action will be taken accordingly," he said. Horatti said he doesn't have the power to cancel Ravikumar's membership. "We will seek legal opinion,'' he added.

Meanwhile, Ravikumar issued a statement denying allegations made against him. "I am appalled that a remark against the Chief Secretary, purportedly made by me, is making the rounds in a section of print and social media... I have not made any derogatory remarks against the Chief Secretary," he stated. He also said he had been in Hyderabad for three days on an official work, and was shocked to learn about the statement attributed to him.

Ravikumar also pointed out that he was supposed to have made the derogatory statement against the chief secretary on the day BJP held a protest in front of the Gandhi statue near Vidhana Soudha. I have neither delivered a speech nor spoken to the media. So the question of making derogatory remarks against Chief Secretary does not arise at all," he added.

The Karnataka IAS Officers' Association also condemned the derogatory remarks allegedly made by Ravikumar. "The CS holds the highest civil office in Karnataka and is a widely respected officer known for her integrity, commitment, and distinguished public service. The remarks made in public are not just vulgar and defamatory, but also directly undermine the dignity of her office and larger civil service. Such remarks not only denigrate public institutions but also erode the trust they hold, the IAS officers' Associations said. They demanded an unconditional apology from Ravikumar.

His (N Ravikumar) statement showed disrespect to the office of the Chief Secretary, brought dishonour to Shalini Rajneesh, and insulted the entire female community

Nagarathna, president, Nandadeepa Mahila Sangha

SKM STANDS FIRM WITH DEVANAHALLI FARMERS

BENGALURU: While CM Siddaramaiah is scheduled to meet farmers from Devanahalli on Friday, leaders from Samyukta Kisan Morcha (SKM) expressed hope that the meeting will help resolve the issue. If the state government fails to do the same, they will intensify their protest. Yudhveer Singh, leader of SKM from Uttar Pradesh, said farmers have been protesting against land acquisition for over three years. The CM had promised to cancel the notification before the Assembly elections and he must now keep that promise. He said if the talks fail, Samyukta Horata Karnataka and Devanahalli farmers will take a decision on the action to be taken in future. SKM will extend its support. "If need be, we will bring thousands of farmers here again. I hope it won't come to that," he said. Farmer leader Rakesh Tikait said, "In most movements, farmers are open to dialogue. But here, they've made it clear -- no talks, no compromise and not to give up their land. This makes their struggle exceptional."

Devanahalli farmers appeal to CM to stop land acquisition

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

WITH the farmers' protest in Devanahalli entering the seventh day, leaders from the National Alliance of People's Movement (NAPM) and several farmer groups have issued a fresh appeal to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, demanding immediate withdrawal of land acquisition proceedings for 1,777 acres of fertile, multi-crop farmland in Channarayapatna hobli. It is home to over 800 farmers — many from Dalit, Adivasi and other marginalized communities.

In a detailed open letter ahead of a key government meeting scheduled for July 4, the activists urged the state to uphold the rights and dignity of cultivators. The letter refers to a 2022 KIADB survey which shows that over 80 per cent of affected farmers oppose the land takeover, originally initiated under the previous BJP government for a proposed Hi-Tech Defence and Aerospace Park. Protesters say the move endangers both livelihoods and the region's food security.

The resistance has been largely peaceful, taking the form of a Bhoomi Satyagraha at Bengaluru's Freedom Park. However, tensions flared during the June 25 'Chalo Devanahalli' protest, where demonstrators faced lathicharge and were detained, which was condemned by civil society. Notable figures, including actor Prakash Raj, have extended support, and farmer movements from 15 states have endorsed the cause, making the Devanahalli protest a symbol of agrarian resistance. The farmers launched the 1,185-day movement during the BJP tenure.

Activist Medha Patkar also appealed to the CM, calling for adherence to the Land Acquisition and Rehabilitation Act (LARR), 2013. She criticized the use of laws like the Karnataka Industrial Area Development Act to bypass democratic processes, and emphasized the need to protect multi-crop farmland rather than sacrificing it for industrial projects. "We are not against industrialization," she wrote, "but it should be decentralized, employment-generating, and located on government or wasteland — not on fertile fields tilled for generations."

Meanwhile, the Chief Minister's Office has confirmed a high-level meeting on Friday with farmers' representatives. Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar, Law Minister HK Patil, KIADB officials and other departments are expected to attend. Protesters hope the dialogue will halt the proposed project.

ALL IN THE PARTY

Congress MLC BK Hariprasad meets Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar in Bengaluru on Thursday | EXPRESS

EXTORTION CASE

Lokayukta writes to CS recommending action against IPS officer

YATHIRAJU @ Bengaluru

LOKAYUKTA Justice **BS Patil** has written to Chief Secretary Shalini Rajneesh recommending action against IPS officer Srinath Mahadeva Joshi, ex-SP of Lokayukta, in an extortion case.

The Lokayukta said, prima facie, the anti-corruption agency's probe showed that the IPS officer colluded with the dismissed head constable Ningappa and violated the All India Services (Conduct) Rules, 1968.

It appears that Joshi, allegedly, made criminal conspiracy to collect illegal gratification by threatening the state government officials, who have amassed wealth. There are audio clips of the conversation between them about the collection of money, and the bribe money collected was used to invest in cryptocurrency to convert the black money into white, said the Lokayukta in his letter to the CS.

Ningappa, who met Joshi in January 2025, asked him to speak to the Joint Director of the Excise Department, Nagarajappa, claiming that the latter was his uncle and gather information about Deputy Commissioner of Excise Rangappa. Subsequently, on May 8, Ningappa sent a WhatsApp message to Joshi, "Today discuss with the inspector tomorrow final 25 kg sir" (Sic). At the same time, Ningappa spoke to the Excise Officials and informed Joshi through a WhatsApp message that they had agreed to give money. Here, the code word 'kg' meant Rs 1 lakh, the Lokayukta narrated in the letter to the CS, said highly-placed sources.

The CDR has also revealed that Ningappa frequently visited the Lokayukta office and had constant contact with

Joshi. Further, Ningappa sent a WhatsApp message to Joshi that the money collected from the government officials has to be invested in cryptocurrency to convert black into white. This was neither denied nor rejected by Joshi.

When the mobile phone of Ningappa was scrutinised, 24 crypto wallets were found. The probe further revealed that Rs 4.92 crore has been invested in 13 wallets.

What is interesting is that Ningappa used to check Joshi's crypto wallet to inform him about the loss and profit on a daily basis. This was possible because Joshi had sent his crypto wallet screenshot to him. Updating time to time about how much money has been invested, Ningapa further asked Joshi to invest in the crypto wallet. Now, Rs 4.92 crore invested in cryptocurrency has been frozen and kept under suspension. We still need to find out the source of the said money, and the probe is continuing to find out how much money Joshi has invested using the proceedings of the crime, sources said.

The Lokayukta has also attached the probe report of his Additional Director General of Police, which contains the WhatsApp chats. The response from the CS is awaited, sources said.

'INSULTED' BY CM

Baramani back to work, but non-committal on resignation

ENS @ Dharwad

ADDITIONAL Superintendent of Police **Narayan Baramani**, who had recently submitted his resignation, resumed duty on Thursday, after Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara spoke to him. He has, however, left the final decision to the government.

Baramani had reportedly stepped down, following an incident in Belagavi where he was allegedly insulted by CM Siddaramaiah at a public event. The episode had reportedly deeply embarrassed the officer, prompting him to write to the Home Ministry regarding the matter.

Addressing reporters, Baramani indicated that he was not inclined to compromise on his decision to resign, stating: "I have conveyed the full sequence of events and my feelings to the senior officers."

He, however, acknowledged that discussions had taken place with both the CM and the home minister, saying, "After speaking to them, I have set the incident aside and returned to work." With a heavy heart, he remarked, "The ball is in the government's court now. It is up to them to decide."

A senior IPS officer, speaking on the condition of anonymity, meanwhile said it was too early to draw any conclusions. "Tendering a resignation can also be a way of expressing displeasure. It doesn't necessarily mean an officer will leave immediately. There are procedures, and a three-month notice period is observed," he explained.

He added, "Until a resignation is formally accepted, the officer remains in service and is expected to discharge his duties."

BJP threatens statewide stir against internal quota

ENS @ Bengaluru

BJP MP Govind Karjol said on Thursday that his party will launch a statewide protest from August 1 if the state government fails to implement internal reservation among the Scheduled Castes by July end.

Addressing reporters here, he said many states have implemented it. But the Karnataka government is delaying the process. There seems to be a conspiracy against its implementation.

He said the previous BJP government headed by Basavaraj Bommai formed a committee headed by the then law minister JC Madhuswamy to formulate a policy on internal reservation. He demanded that the Siddaramaiah government implement this policy.

Andhra Pradesh, Telangana and Haryana have implemented internal reservation. But the Siddaramaiah government is indulging in vote bank politics instead of implementing it, Karjol said.

Justice Nagamohan Das Committee was constituted to create confusion among the people, he alleged. Former Union minister A Narayanswamy said the caste survey was not done properly. Enumerators just pasted stickers outside the houses, claiming that the survey had been done.

100cr documents to be digitised by Dec

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

UNDER the Bhu Suraksha project, the aim is to digitise 100 crore pages by December this year. This will help people get their documents easily. It will also avoid misplacement of documents, said Revenue Minister **Krishna Byregowda**.

The minister said the original documents available at AC offices at the taluk level and DC offices at the district headquarters will be scanned and digitised. "In all, 29.8 crore pages have already been digitised, and work on 22 taluks is complete. Officials are expected to complete work in the next six months. If there are more, they will be given an additional two months," he said.

Byregowda said farmers are struggling to get documents and running from pillar to post. Many documents are also lost. In some cases, they are trying to change the documents. To end this harassment, the government's Bhu Suraksha initiative will help prevent irregularities. Once scanning is done, people can apply for documents online, he added.

Byregowda, who convened a video conference meeting with DCs, said during their last tenure, they had done Podi rectification in 5,801 cases, and this time, over the past seven months, 1.04 lakh parcels of lands have been taken up for measurement under Podi Abhiyan. "Of 1.04 lakh land pieces, 20 per cent work is completed and the remaining will be done in the next six months. We also have information that there are an additional 70,000 land parcels for rectification," he said.

The government has started providing office space to Village Administrative Officers (VAO) who had demanded it and even staged a protest. The VAOs did not have offices even before Independence, the minister said, adding, "We have spoken to the RDPR department, wherever there is space in panchayat offices, VAOs will get offices."

EXPRESS READ

Govt to move SC over forest land acquisition

BENGALURU: Forest Minister Eshwar B Khandre on Thursday said the state government will file an appeal before the Supreme Court to acquire forest land to compensate the losses of people from economically backward sections whose land had been acquired for various development projects. Speaking on the sidelines of a meeting held with revenue minister Krishna Byre Gowda and Chikkamagaluru district in-charge minister KJ George, Khandre said the apex court will be informed about the joint survey of the land available for allotment, being conducted by forest and revenue officials.

MYSURU SCHOOL STUDENTS TO CONNECT WITH ASTRONAUT SHUKLA TODAY

MYSURU: Six school students from Mysuru will participate in a live interaction with astronaut Group Captain Shubhanshu Shukla, currently stationed aboard the International Space Station as part of the Axiom-4 (Ax-4) mission, at 4 pm IST on Friday. The students, namely Bhuvan PM, Namasyu A, Tanish Tejaswi MS, Pranav CN, Vishruth R, and Sanat Raj G, of Excel Public School will represent their institution in the ISS interaction, guided by their mentor and amateur radio club custodian, Mahesh MB. This is a rare and prestigious opportunity that allows students to establish direct communication with the ISS using amateur radio frequencies and will take place through the Amateur Radio on the International Space Station (ARISS) initiative in coordination with the UR Rao Satellite Centre (URSC), Bengaluru. The contact will be made using amateur radio transceivers configured to uplink and downlink signals through the ARISS ground station infrastructure, allowing students to engage in Q&A from Earth to space, via RF transmissions. The interaction will occur as part of a global network of scheduled ARISS school contacts that introduce young learners to space science, communications technology, and orbital research. **ENS**

Encroached land in Bukkapatna sanctuary recovered

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka Forest Department on Thursday recovered 300 acres of encroached land in Bukkapatna Chinkara Wildlife Sanctuary in Tumakuru district. The land recovered is in Survey No. 46 in Muthugadahalli Ambarpur and was declared as forest land in 1926 under the Forest Rights Act.

According to forest department records, this is the largest recovery of forest land in recent times. On June 23, the forest department recovered 120 acres of forest land in Kadugodi plantation worth Rs 4,000 crore. However, the highest ever forest land recovery was in 2013—600 acres in Kolar, followed by 355 acres in Mallur in 2014.

Conservator of Forests V Yedukondalu told *The New Indian Express* that the land was illegally granted to villagers by revenue department officials over the last 30 years. Though people were not residing there, agricultural activities had been taken up for years. Farmers were growing coconut, cotton, arecanut, cowpea, and other crops. "Following the recently issued Lokayukta directives and Supreme Court and Karnataka High Court orders, we asked the revenue department

officials of the division to cancel the illegal records, and 64(A) proceedings were initiated (under Section 64(A) of the Karnataka Forest Act of 1963, and the eviction notice is issued to people illegally occupying land before recovering the land). Documents that we obtained showed that most of the land was illegally occupied, and on Thursday, the entire land parcel was recovered," he said.

Forest department officials said that the exercise of digging pits to lay trenches and undertake plantations suitable for blackbucks has started.

"The sanctuary (also known as the Black Buck Sanctuary, founded in 2019) is spread across 36,000 acres and includes three reserve forests. There are many more land parcels around the forest division that are also being recovered. The exercise has started," Yedukondalu said.

Telangana government, in partnership with the Centre of Data for Public Good at the Foundation for Science, Innovation and Development, IISc, announced the launch of the Telangana Data Exchange (TGDeX) — an initiative to provide a secure, controlled environment for the responsible development and testing of AI solutions

B'LURU STAMPEDE

HC TO K'TAKA GOVT: JUSTIFY SUSPENSION OF IPS OFFICER VIKASH

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court on Thursday asked the state government to justify its action of suspending an IPS officer on June 5 on charges of dereliction of duty, after the stampede at Chinnaswamy Stadium during the victory celebrations of Royal Challengers Bengaluru after the IPL tournament.

Hearing the appeal filed by the state government against the July 1 order passed by the Central Administrative Tribunal (CAT), which quashed the suspension of Additional Commissioner of Police (West) **Vikash Kumar Vikash**, the division bench of Justice SG Pandit and Justice TM Nadaf said "you (government) have to justify whether it was proper to keep the officers under suspension, or whether shifting the officers to another post would have been sufficient..."

Advocate-General K Shashikiran Shetty replied that he will be able to furnish records to justify suspension. Praying to court to stay the CAT's order, he informed that Vikash had gone in uniform to take charge.

Senior advocate Dhyan Chinnappa, appearing for the IPS officer, submitted that he is not going to file a contempt petition against the state. The court observed that the suspension order was lifted, but they (state) have to pass an order for reinstatement. When the matter is taken up for final disposal, do not precipitate, the court told Dhyan Chinnappa, who submitted that he would not precipitate the matter. Further hearing was adjourned to July 9.

Holding that the state government suspended IPS officers by passing the order mechanically, without sufficient grounds, on the stampede that claimed 11 lives at Chinnaswamy Stadium, and that RCB is responsible for huge gatherings, the CAT quashed the suspension of Vikash and directed the state government to reinstate him immediately. The CAT also said the benefit of the order has to be given to similarly suspended police officers.

The state government filed an appeal stating that the impugned order passed by CAT is highly contrary to the material on record. However, Vikash attempted to take charge on the date of the impugned order. The Tribunal has given specific findings of the entire incident as if a departmental inquiry has been held, though only prima facie view of the disciplinary authority has to be considered.

The state government also stated that a blanket recommendation for reinstating other police officers cannot be made by CAT, without examining individual facts and service records of those officers. Interference by CAT will impede the ongoing investigation and judicial and magisterial inquiries, the state claimed.

MYSORE PETA FOR OLY STAR

Karnataka CM Siddaramaiah honours javelin thrower and double Olympic medalist Neeraj Chopra at the former's official residence in Bengaluru on Thursday | EXPRESS

EXPRESS READ

Mysuru-Udaipur Express engine catches fire

BENGALURU: The engine of the Mysuru-Udaipur Humsafar Express caught fire near Vandaraguppe in Channapatna taluk, Bengaluru South district, on Thursday morning. According to Railway officials, the faulty engine was detached and replaced, allowing the train to resume its journey after a short delay. The affected engine has been sent to the Krishnarajapuram railway shed for a detailed inspection to determine the exact cause of the fire and identify any technical faults. No injuries or major disruptions were reported. **ENS**

Two Class 12 students held for killing schoolmate in TN

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Coimbatore

A 17-year-old Class 12 student in Erode was allegedly assaulted and beaten to death by two other students of the same school in a purported clash over talking to girls. The Erode Town police on Thursday arrested two students of the government higher secondary school at Kumalankuttai on the charge of murder and other sections. They were produced before the Juvenile Justice Board and subsequently sent to an observation home in Coimbatore district.

According to the Erode North Police, Adhithya, the deceased, was a Biology Group student of Section C. The two arrested students, also aged 17, were from Sections B and D of the same class. Adhithya's father Siva is a private firm employee, and mother Sathya works at a textile showroom. The couple has a younger daughter studying in Class 7 at the same school.

On Wednesday morning, Siva dropped his son at school in full uniform. However, police said Adhithya, along with two friends, skipped the class and went outside.

According to police sources, Adhithya had informed his father a week earlier about a quarrel with students from other sections, who had allegedly warned him against speaking to girl students from their class. As per eyewitnesses, the clash happened about 200 metres from the school premises around 5.15 pm on Wednesday. Adhithya was allegedly attacked by a group led by the two accused. Locals who saw the incident alerted his father, and the boy was rushed to the Erode Government Hospital in an unconscious state and was declared brought dead.

When he was assaulted, Adhithya was found wearing casual clothes. Sources said he may have carried a spare set of clothes in his bag to change out of his uniform.

Following a complaint from Siva, police launched an inquiry. Based on statements from Adhithya's friends and other students, the two students were picked up for questioning and were later arrested on Thursday evening.

A police officer said, "Initial findings suggest that the assault was triggered by an ongoing ego clash between the students. The victim and the accused were allegedly in an inebriated state at the time of the incident."

1 dead in Kerala hosp building collapse

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Kottayam

A 52-year-old woman died and two others were injured when a portion of a decades-old and dilapidated building at the Government Medical College Hospital, Kottayam, collapsed on Thursday. The death of D Bindu, who was trapped under the debris for more than two hours, has sparked allegations of delay in rescue operations.

Bindu, a native of Thalayolaparambu in Kottayam, was at the hospital for the treatment of her daughter. Aleena Vincent, 13, a native of Wayanad, escaped with minor injuries in the incident, while Amal Pradeep, an employee at the hospital, suffered minor injuries while evacuating patients from the dilapidated building.

Police use water cannons on KSU activists for protesting outside Kerala Secretariat demanding that the government end its neglect of medical colleges, in Thiruvananthapuram on Thursday | BP DEEPU

A portion of the 68-year-old building housing a bathroom complex attached to the 14th ward (orthopaedics department) of the hospital collapsed around 10.30am.

Meanwhile, Veena and Vasavan, who arrived at the scene soon after, asserted that the building was not in use and that no one was trapped under the rubble. The ministers' statements allegedly contributed to a significant delay in the rescue operations. It was alleged that excavators were not brought to the site until 12.40 pm.

According to relatives of Bindu, the accident occurred when she went to take a bath in the washroom in the building. She was in the hospital for the treatment of her daughter, Navami, 20, in the neuro department. It was only after Bindu's daughter reported that her mother had gone to the bathroom and could not be reached by phone that authorities decided to conduct a thorough search of the debris. By the time Bindu was found from under the rubble by 1 pm and shifted to the casualty department, which was only a few metres away, she had succumbed.

Major terror bid foiled in AP, explosives seized

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Kadapa

IN a major breakthrough against terror activities, the police in Annamayya district conducted raids on the homes of two suspects arrested in Rayachoti town for their links with the banned terror outfit Al-Ummah, and seized a large cache of explosives and materials used for making Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs).

During the searches, the suspects' wives-Saira Banu (wife of Abu Bakr) and Shaikh Shameem (wife of Mohammad Ali)-allegedly tried to obstruct the raids and even attacked the women police personnel. Both were arrested and remanded to Kadapa Central Jail.

Kurnool Range DIG Dr Koya Praveen said the two men - Abu Bakr Siddiq alias Amanullah and Mohammad Ali alias Mansoor - had been living in Rayachoti under fake identities for the past 20 years.

Police seized highly dangerous material capable of causing large-scale destruction, including ammonium nitrate mixed with fuel oil (for use in IEDs), slurry explosives (suspected to contain nitroglycerin or TNT), a 20-kg suitcase bomb packed with PETN, another suitcase and a box suspected to be IEDs, potassium nitrate, chlorate, permanganate, gunpowder, daggers, cleavers, and other sharp weapons.

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Date : 03.07.2025

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Corrigendum/Time Extension-I

Critical dates against the e-T. No.02/EE(M)/RPSK/2025-26 for the work of "Replacement of drinking water supply pipelines and associated valves of hydel colony, Kalagarh, Distt Pauri Garhwal" are hereby extended by making amendment per following.

Definition of similar works shall be read as "Supply and fixing of MS pipelines/Fabrication work/hydro-mechanical works with at least one order of any value of supply & fixing of pipelines in any residential/non-residential/industrial establishment"

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(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mrs. Sarswati Chandra (Borrower) Loan Account Number TBBNG00006681358/ LBBNG00006703181	All that piece and parcel of Residential Two Bedroom Apartment bearing No. 301, Apartment bearing No. 301, Khata No.765/301, Khata Asacsament No:1104/756 on the Third Floor of the building known as "Stanford Homes", measuring 1010 Sq feet of Super Built, (which is inclusive of the Floor, Ceiling and walls between the Apartments and proportionate share in commonareas and a share in the club house area) together with One Covered Car Parking Space in the basement , situated al Bommasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore	Rs. 61,79,866/- (as on May 28, 2025).	Rs. 30,00, 000/- / Rs. 3,00, 000/-	July 11, 2025 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	July 24, 2025 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
2.	Mr. Shivanand Dhamannavar (Borrower) Loan Account Number LBHBL00005927244 LBBNG00005905420 LBBNG00006095166 LBBNG00005906877	All the piece and parcel Residential apartment No.102 in the First Floor, Tower-2, in the apartment complex known as "Chowriappa Constellation" to be constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property with a super built-up area of 1414 Square Feet (together with all common areas attributable thereto with limited access to the terrace area, that is lift room and water tank for repairs) and with One (1) covered Car Parking Space In the Basement situated at Geddalahalli Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, and bounded as follows:- On The East : Road And Property Belongs To Mrs. Saramma Cherian Paul On The West : Road And Thereafter Survey No. 32 On The North : Private Property On The South : Private Property	Rs. 97,60,176/- (as on May 28, 2025)	Rs. 64,50, 000/- / Rs. 6,45, 000/-	July 14, 2025 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	July 24, 2025 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM

The online auction will be conducted on the website https://disposalhub.com of our auction agency M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited The Mortgagors/ Noticees are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest by July 23, 2025 before 04:00 else the secured asset(s) will be sold as per schedule.
The prospective bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at ICICI Limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068 on or before July 23, 2025 before 05:00 PM Thereafter, they have to submit their offer through the website mentioned above on or before July 23, 2025 before 05:00 PM along with the scanned image of the Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. In case the prospective bidder(s) is/ are unable to submit his/ her/ their offer through the website, then the signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at ICICI Limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068 on or July 23, 2025 before 05:00 PM. Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/ Scheduled Bank in favour of 'ICICI Bank Limited' payable at Bangalore.
For any further clarifications in terms of inspection, Terms and Conditions of the E-Auction or submission of tenders, contact ICICI Bank Employee Phone No. 7304918084/9844542086/8008999536
Please note that Marketing agencies 1. M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited, 2. Augeo Assets Management Private Limited 3. Matex Net Pvt. Ltd., 4. Finvin Estate Deal Technologies Pvt. Ltd., 5. Girnarsoft Pvt. Ltd., 6. Hecta Prop Tech Pvt. Ltd., 7. Arca Emart Pvt. Ltd., 8. Novel Asset Service Pvt. Ltd., 9. Nobroker Technologies Solutions Pvt. Ltd. have also been engaged for facilitating the sale of this property.
The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.
For detailed Terms and Conditions of the sale, please visit www.icicibank.com/n4p4s

Date : July 04, 2025
Place: Bengaluru

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

SIR M. VISVESVARAYA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Corporate Office: #109, Shankar mutt Road, Shankarpuram, Bangalore – 560 004.
www.vcb.co.in, Email: corporate@vcb.co.in PH No. 22956419/20

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

It is notified for all concened that the following property is secured in favour of **Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.** and as secured creditor taken possession under SARFAESI Act 2002, will be sold by e-auction on **07.08.2025 "as is where is and as is what is basis"** for recovery of Bank dues. This is a notice to the borrower's, Mortgagor/s and to the guarantor/s of the below said loan about hoiding of E-Auction sale on the said date, if their outstanding dues are not repaid in full by the date of auction.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S, MORTGAGOR/S & GUARANTOR/S:

1. M/s. Vittals Medicare Pvt. Ltd. situated at No.270,1st Floor, Domlur 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore – 560 071. Rep by its Director **2. Sri. Kabir Das. R. S/o Sri Rajamanickam** No. 160, " Sharva Kunja", 9th Cross, Mysore Bank Colony, BSK 1st Stage, Bangalore – 560 050. **3. Dr. Kanchana W/o Sri Kabir Das R** No. 160, Sharva Kunja, 9th Cross, Mysore Bank Colony, BSK 1st Stage, Bangalore – 560 050.

The under mentioned property will be sold by "Online e-Auction through website: **https://www.banksauction.com** on **07.08.2025** for Recovery of an amount of **Rs.8,96,67,431/- (Rupees Eight Crores Ninty Six Lakhs Sixty Seven Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty One Only)** due and payable amount as on **30.06.2025** with further interest, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc.,

Description and all the particulars of the property to be sold (ONE OF THE SECUIRED ASSETS / MORTGAGED PROPERTIES)

Property No.1 : All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Khatha No.325/3, II floor having BBMP PID No.82-1-325/3 measuring East to West 52 feet and North to South 64 feet totally measuring 3328 sq.ft of super built area along with 20% (1/5th) of undivided share, right, title and interest in the land and building constructed as per the norms of the concerned planning authority earlier BMP now BBMP in the property bearing corporation No.325, situated at 12th Cross, Binnamangala 1st Stage Extension, Ward No.82, Hoysalanagar, now called Indiranagar, Bangalore-560 038, measuring East to West 67 feet and North to South 80 feet, totally measuring 5360 Sq ft and bounded on East by :12th cross Road,West by: Plot No.324,North by: Plot No.326,South by : Indiranagar Main Road.

Property No.2 : All the piece and parcel of the property bearing Khatha No.325/4, III floor having BBMP PID No.82-1-325/4 measuring East to West 52 feet and North to South 64 feet, totally measuring 3328 sq.ft of super built area along with 20% (1/5th) of undivided share, right, title interest in the land and building constructed as per the norms of the concerned planning authority earlier BMP now BBMP in the property bearing corporation No.325, situated at 12th Cross, Binnamangala 1st Stage Extension, Ward No.82, Hoysalanagar, now called Indiranagar,Bangalore-560038, measuring East to West 67 feet and North to South 80 feet, totally measuring 5360 Sq ft and bounded on East by : 12th cross Road,West by : Plot No.324,North by : Plot No.326 South by : Indiranagar Main Road.

Reserve Price	**Property No.1 : Rs 4,50,00,000/-(Rupees Four Crores Fifty Lakhs only)** **Property No.2 : Rs 4,00,00,000/-(Rupees Four Crores only)**
Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	**Property No.1 : Rs 45,00,000/- (Rupees Fourty Five Lakhs only)** **Property No.2 : Rs 40,00,000/- (Rupees Fourty Lakhs only)**
Bid Increment Amount	**Property No.1 : Rs 4,50,000/-(Rupees Four Lakhs Fifty Thousand only)** **Property No.2 : Rs 4,00,000/-(Rupees Four Lakhs only)**
Last date for submission of tender form along with EMD and KYC documents	**06.08.2025 UPTO 4:30 PM**
Date and time of opening of online offers	**07.08.2025 , Thursday from 10 30 AM to 11 30 AM. (with unlimited auto extension of 5 minutes)**
Bank account in which EMD to be remitted	Through EFT/ NEFT/ RTGS/ Demand drafts/ Bankers cheque in favor "Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-Operative Bank Limited, Bangalore" **Branch: VIJAYANAGAR , Branch Code: 006016100000001 IFSC Code: MVCB0000006**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION SALE

1) The Immovable Property will be sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE & WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS". As such sale is without any kind of warranties & indemnities. 2) For participation in the auction the intending bidders have to deposit an amount equivalent to 10% of the Reserve Price of the property being caution deposit through EFT/NEFT/RTGS for above concerned branch. The Demand Draft/Banker's Cheque/Pay Order shall be drawn after the date of publication of this Auction Sale Notice. 3) The property 'SHALL NOT be sold below the reserve price 4) The successful bidder shall have to deposit 25% of the sale price, including EMD amount already deposited, immediately on acceptance of bid price by the Authorized Officer I.e. before closure of business hours on the same day or not later than next working day and the balance 75% of the sale price on or before 15th day from confirmation of sale. Default in deposit of any of the above mentioned amount(s) within the period stipulated herein by the successful bidder would entail forfeiture of the entire money already deposited and Properties shall be put to auction again and the defaulting bidder shall have no claim/right in respect of Properties/ amount deposited. 5) The successful bidder shall bear all the necessary expenses like applicable stamp duties/additional stamp duty/transfer charges, Registration expenses, **E Khata chargers, property tax,** fees etc. for transfer of the property in its/his/her name. 6) The Authorized Officer/Bank is not bound to accept the highest offer and has the absolute right to accept or reject any or all offer(s) or adjourn/postpone/cancel the e-Auction or withdraw any property or portion thereof from the auction proceedings at any stage without assigning any reason there for. 7) The property can be inspected by the intending bidder **Date: 06.08.2025 from 10.00 AM to 4.30 PM** at his expenses at the address mentioned in the schedule. 8) The sale shall be subject to provisions of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. 9) The intending bidders shall satisfy himself about the title, ownership, statutory approvals, encumbrances etc., of the property. 10) Please refer to the link **https://www.bankeauctions.com** and **website: www.vob.co.in** for detailed terms and conditions of the sale. 11) All disputes, differences and controversies between the parties are subject to Bangalore Jurisdiction only, **STATUTORY 30 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 8(6) OF THE SARFAESI ACT 2002:** This may also be treated as notice u/r 8(6) Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to borrowers /mortgagors and Guarantors of the above said loan about the holding of E-Auction Sale on the above mentioned date. The borrower/guarantors/mortgagors are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with upto dated interest and ancillary expenses before the date of Auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Note: The intending bidder/purchaser may visit to bank's website www.vcb.co.in for detail terms and conditions regarding auction proceeding

Date: 03.07.2025
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-operative Bank Ltd.

Odisha State Health & Family Welfare Society

Dept. of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of Odisha
Annex Building of SIH&FW. Nayapalli, Unit-B,
Bhubaneswar-751012, Odlsha, Phone/Fax: 0674-2392480/88

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Advt. No. 01/2025 **Date: 4.7.2025**

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FOR AN EVALUATION STUDY OF THE EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE (EMAS) UNDER INTEGRATED PATIENT TRANSPORT AND HEALTH HELPLINE (IPTHHS) SERVICES IN ODISHA

Sealed proposals are invited from eligible bidders for an **evaluation study** of the Emergency Ambulance Service (EMAS) under Integrated Patient Transport and Health Helpline (IPTHHS) Services in Odisha. The RFP document containing the eligibility criteria, terms & conditions and formats for submission of proposals can be downloaded from the website **https://nhmodisha.gov.in** (under link: **"Tender"**) and **https://health.odisha.gov.in**.
The **bid schedule** is as mentioned below:

Date & Time of Pre-bid Meeting	Last Date & Time of Submission of Bid	Date & Time of Opening of Technical Bid
14.7.2025, 12:00 Noon	31.7.2025, 3:00 PM	31.7.2025, 4: 00 PM

Any amendments in above RFP due to decision in pre-bid meeting shall only be notified in the websites mentioned above. The sealed proposals should reach the office of the undersigned in the **address mentioned above** by **registered post / speed post / courier** on or before the stipulated date & time of bid submission mentioned above, i.e. **31.7.2025, 3 :00 PM.**
The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals or cancel the bid without assigning any reason thereof.

sd/- **Mission Director, NHM, Odisha**

OIPR- 10084/11/0038/2526

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank

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SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM Branch-1, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **19.07.2025 (10.30 AM to 11.30 AM),** for recovery of **Rs.4,24,61,496.08 (Rupees Four Crore Twenty Four Lakhs Sixty One Thousand Four Hundred Ninety six and Paisa Eight Only)** as on **01.07.2025** with further interest and cost thereon due to the ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from **(1) M/s BR Electronics And Home Appliances,** Anekal Road Iggalur, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru-560081. **(2) Sri M Balaraju** S/o Muniyallappa, No. E-29 O-21 Near Govt School, Iggalur Village Chandapur Post, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru-560081. **(3) Mr. M Laxmaiah** S/o Munisamappa **(Guarantor)** Iggalur Village, Chandapur Post, Anekal Taluk Bengaluru-560081.
The Earnest Money shall be Deposited by way of **E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through **RTGS/NEFT** in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before **18.07.2025 - 4.00 pm.**

Lot No	Description of the immovable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Incremental value at Bid
1	All the Piece and parcel of land and building existing in land bearing Sy. no.84, sl. no.243 Old Assesment No.146, New Assesment No.157,Junjar no.243,Old pty no.146 and new pty no.157 situated at Iggalur Village of Chandapur Circle –Anekal Road, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and bounded on: East by: Private Property and Road, West by: Chikkathayamma, North by: Property of Muniyappa, South by:Property of Laxmaiah. **Title Holder: Sri. M Balaraju**	**₹. 4,02,84,000/-**	**₹. 40,28,400/-**	**₹. 50,000/-**

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website **(www.canarabank.com)** or E-Wallet of **M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (https://baanknet.com/)** portal and may contact **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9627872626 and 9483532366** during office hours on any working day.

Date : 03.07.2025
Place: Bengaluru .

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

ವಸೂಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಸಹಾಯಕ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು

2ನೇ ವಲಯ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಇವರ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯ ನಂ. 146, "ಸಹಕಾರ ಸೌಧ"
3ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ, 8ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, ಮಾರ್ಗೋಸಾ ರಸ್ತೆ , ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560003

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ನಿಯಮ 1960 ರೂಲ್ 38(2)(ಡಿ) ರನ್ವಯ

ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಅಮಲ್ದಾರಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : ಎಆರ್‌ಬಿ–2/45/ಸಿಇಪಿ/16/2024–25

ದಾವಾದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : ಯುಬಿಸಿ–3/ಡಿಐಎಸ್/1945/2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ : 05.12.2024

ಶ್ರೀ ಯೋಗಿನಾರಾಯಣ ಕ್ರೆಡಿಟ್ ಕೋ–ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಲಿಮಿಟೆಡ್., ನಂ.20/ಎ1, 6ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ, 7ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, ಎನ್.ಆರ್.ಕಾಲೋನಿ , ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–04, ದೂರವಾಣಿ : 26601660, ಮೊಬೈಲ್ : 8050001144 ಈ ಡಿಕ್ರಿದಾರ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಪ್ರಾಂತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಇವರ ನ್ಯಾಯಲಯದ ದಾವಾದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ–ಯುಬಿಸಿ–3/ಡಿಐಎಸ್/1945/2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 05.12.2024ರಂತೆ ಬಾಕಿದಾರರು/ಈ ಅಮಲ್ದಾರಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣದ ತೀರ್ಮಾಣಿಯವರಾದ ಶ್ರೀ ಮಂಜುನಾಯಕ್ ನಂ.10, 7ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, ಮೂಕಾಂಬಿಕನಗರ, ಹೊಸಕೆರೆಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಬನಶಂಕರಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–560085 ಹಾಗೂ ಶ್ರೀ ರಾಜೇಶ್ ನಾಯಕ್, ನಂ.10, 7ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, ಮೂಕಾಂಬಿಕನಗರ, ಹೊಸಕೆರೆಹಳ್ಳಿ, ಬನಶಂಕರಿ 3ನೇ ಹಂತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು–560085 ರವರಿಂದ ಡಿಕ್ರಿ ಹೋಲ್ಡರ್ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ–04.06.2025ರ ಅಂತ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಬಾಕಿ ಅಸಲು ರೂ. 15,09,215/–, ಬಡ್ಡಿ ರೂ. 4,00,274/–, ಸುಸ್ತಿ ಬಡ್ಡಿ ರೂ. 14,686/– ಇತರೆ ಖರ್ಚು 620/–ದಾವೆ ಖರ್ಚು ರೂ.3,798/– ಒಟ್ಟು ರೂ.19,28,683/– ಗಳು(ಹತ್ತೊಂಬತ್ತು ಲಕ್ಷ ಇಪ್ಪತ್ತೆಂಟು ಸಾವಿರದ ಆರುನೂರ ಎಂಬತ್ತಮೂರು ರೂಗಳು ಮಾತ್ರ) ಹಾಗೂ ಈ ಮೊಬಲಗು ವಸೂಲಾಗುವವರೆಗೂ ಶೇ.14% ರ ಬಡ್ಡಿ. ಹಾಗೂ ಶೇ 2% ರ ಸುಸ್ತಿ ಬಡ್ಡಿ ಮತ್ತು ಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಫೀ ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರ ಅಮಲ್ದಾರಿ ವೆಚ್ಚಗಳು ವಸೂಲಾಗಬೇಕಾಗಿದ್ದು ಈ ಬಾಕಿ ವಸೂಲಾತಿಗಾಗಿ ತೀರ್ಮಾಣಿಯವರು ಸಾಲ ಪಡೆಯುವಾಗ ಡಿಕ್ರಿ ಹೋಡ್ದರ್ ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ ಅಡಮಾನ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಈ ಕೆಳಗಿನ ಷೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ಸ್ಥಿರ ಸ್ವತ್ತನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ 19.07.2025 ರಂದು ಶನಿವಾರ ಅಥವಾ ಸದರಿ ಹರಾಜು ಬೇರೆ ಯಾವ ತಾರೀಖಿಗೆ ಮುಂದುವರೆಸಿ ಇಡಲ್ಪಡುತ್ತದೋ ಆ ದಿವಸದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಹರಾಜು ಮಧ್ಯಾಹ್ನ 12.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗಿ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಸವಾಲು ಕೂಗುವವರೆಗೆ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಸೂಚನೆಗಳನ್ವಯ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು ಎಂದು ಈ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸೂಚನೆಗಳು:

1. ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜಿನ ಮೂಲಕ ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಸವಾಲು ಕೂಗಿದವನಿಗೆ ಸ್ವತ್ತನ್ನು ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಷರತ್ತುಗಳಿಗೆ ಅನುಗುಣವಾಗಿ ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು. ಹರಾಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದ ಬೆಲೆಯು ಅತ್ಯಂತ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಎಂದು ಕಂಡುಬಂದಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಾಜು ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸುವುದು/ಮುಂದೂಡುವುದು ಮಾರಾಟಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯ ವಿವೇಚನೆಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟಿರುತ್ತದೆ.
2. ಹರಾಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸುವವರು ಹರಾಜಿಗೆ ಮುಂಚಿತವಾಗಿ ರೂ20,000–00(ಇಪ್ಪತ್ತು ಸಾವಿರ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳು ಮಾತ್ರ) ಗಳ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಕ ಠೇವಣಿಯನ್ನು ಪಾವತಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು, ಈ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಸಂಘಕ್ಕೆ ನಗದಾಗಿ ಅಥವಾ ಸಂಘದ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಡಿಮ್ಯಾಂಡ್ ಡ್ರಾಫ್ಟ್ (ಡಿ.ಡಿ.)ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಮೂಲಕ ಪಾವತಿಸುವುದು ಯಶಸ್ವಿಯಾದ ಬಿಡ್ದುದಾರರು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಕ ಠೇವಣಿಯನ್ನು ಹೊರತುಪಡಿಸಿ ಉಳಿದವರ ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಹಿಂದಿರುಗಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.
3. ಯಶಸ್ವಿಯಾದ ಬಿಡ್ದುದಾರರು ಬಿಡ್ಡಿನ ಮೊಬಲಗಿನ ಪೈಕಿ ಶೇ.15% ರಷ್ಟು ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಹರಾಜಿನ ದಿನವೇ ಸಂಘದ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಡಿ.ಡಿ. ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ಮೂಲಕ ಪಾವತಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ಮತ್ತು ಬಿಡ್ಡಿನ ಹಣದ ಉಳಿಕೆ ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಅಂದರೆ ಶೇ.85%ನ್ನು ಮಾರಾಟದ ದಿನಾಂಕದಿಂದ 45 ದಿವಸಗಳೊಳಗೆ ಪಾವತಿಸತಕ್ಕದ್ದು. ತಪ್ಪಿದರೆ ಬಿಡ್ದುದಾರರು ಪಾವತಿಸಿರುವ ಶೇ.15% ರ ಠೇವಣಿ ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಕಳೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಾರೆ.
4. ಮೇಲೆ ಹೇಳಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ನಿಗದಿತ ದಿನಾಂಕದೊಳಗೆ ಹಣ ಕಟ್ಟದಿದ್ದರೆ ಅಥವಾ ಬಿಡ್ಡಿನ ಹಣದ ಪೈಕಿ ಉಳಿಕೆ ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಪಾವತಿಸದಿದ್ದರೆ ಯಶಸ್ವಿ ಬಿಡ್ದುದಾರರ ಸಂಬಂಧದಲ್ಲಿ ಆದ ಖರ್ಚು ಅಥವಾ ನಷ್ಟ ಒಳಗೊಂಡಂತೆ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಮರು ಮಾರಾಟಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಹೊಸ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿ, ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ ಹರಾಜಿನ ಮೂಲಕ ಸ್ವತ್ತನ್ನು ಮಾರಾಟ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು.
5. ಹರಾಜು ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಿಡ್ಡು ಮಾಡುವವರು ತಾವು ತಮ್ಮ ಸ್ವಂತಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಬಿಡ್ಡು ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೋ ಅಥವಾ ಅನ್ಯರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೋ ಎಂಬ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಮಾರಾಟಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಅಪೇಕ್ಷಿಸಲ್ಪಡಬಹುದು. ಅನ್ಯರ ನಿಮಿತ್ತ ಬಿಡ್ಡುದಾರರು ಅನ್ಯರಿಂದ ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅವರ ಅನುಮತಿಯನ್ನು ತಾವು ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರ ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಹಾಜರು ಪಡಿಸುವುದು. ಈ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಹಾಜರುಪಡಿಸದಿದ್ದರೆ ಅವರು ಬಿಡ್ಡಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಅವಕಾಶವಿಲ್ಲ.
6. ತೀರ್ಮ ಬಾಕಿದಾರರು ಅಥವಾ ಸ್ವತ್ತುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಇರುವುದಾಗಿ ದಾವೆ ಮಾಡುವಂತಹ ಬೇರೆಯವರಾಗಲಿ ಅಸಲು, ಬಡ್ಡಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರೆ ಖರ್ಚುಗಳ ಸಮೇತ ಪೂರ್ಣ ಮೊಬಲಗನ್ನು ಹರಾಜು ಮಾಡುವ ಮೊದಲೇ ಪಾವತಿಸಿದರೆ ಈ ಹರಾಜನ್ನು ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.
7. ಈ ಹರಾಜು ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಸಹಾಯಕ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು / ವಸೂಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಖಾಯಂ ಮಾಡುವವರೆಗೆ ಖಾಯಂ ಆಗತಕ್ಕದ್ದಲ್ಲ ಮಾರಾಟವು ಮುಕ್ತಾಯವಾದ ನಂತರ ಅದರ ಮೇಲಿನ ಸ್ಟಾಂಪ್ ಶುಲ್ಕವನ್ನು ಪಾವತಿಸಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಪೇಕ್ಷಿಸುವ ಮಾಹಿತಿ, ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸಿದರೆ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಸಹಾಯಕ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು ಸಹಿ

ANDHRA PRADESH MEDICAL SERVICES & INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

APMSIDC, Plot No.9, Survey No.49, IT Park, Mangalagiri, Guntur District-522503

Drugs Wing- Tender No:178, 179 & 180/ APMSIDC/ Medicine Wing/ 2025-26

Tender is invited through e-procurement platform (online) for **T178:** Procurement and supply of Medicines, **T179:** Procurement and supply of Surgical Consumables & **T180:** Procurement and supply of Reagents & Consumables. For complete details, please visit Website: **https://tender.apeprocurement.gov.in**

APMSIDC will reserve the right to cancel the tender at any time without assigning any reasons.

Sd/- For MANAGING DIRECTOR

DIPR No.4236PP/CL/ADVT/1/1/2021-22, Dt: 03/07/2025

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

Credit Recovery and Management Department

Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Ph :** 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

RE-TENDER-CUM-AUCTION SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002

The following property/ies mortgaged to **City Union Bank Limited** will be sold in Re-Tender-cum-Public Auction by the Authorised Officer of the Bank, under Rule 8 (6) & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, under the SARFAESI Act, 2002, for recovery of a sum of **Rs.59,16,764/- (Rupees Fifty Nine Lakh Sixteen Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Four only)** as on **18-11-2024** together with further interest to be charged from **19-11-2024** onwards, other expenses and any other dues to the bank by the borrowers / guarantors **No.1) Mr. Raghu Raman, S/o. Venkatesh.D, No.22, 1st P Main, Muniswarappa Block, Ganganagar, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560032. No.2) Mrs. Varalakshmi, W/o. Venkatesh.D, No.22, 1st P Main, Muniswarappa Block, Ganganagar, Bangalore, Karnataka - 560032. No.3) Mr. A.Ankith, S/o. Andanaiah, No.7/2, 1st Main Road, Aangamagai Behind Binny Mill, R T Nagar, Bangalore - 560032.**

Immovable Properties Mortgaged to our Bank

Schedule - A : (Property Owned by Mr. Raghu Raman, S/o. Venkatesh.D)

All that Piece and Parcel of the Southern Portion of the Residential Property Bearing Survey No.88, Present BBMP Khatha No.59/88/1, No.D.A.516/2013-14, Earlier Portion of BBMP Khatha No.DA/271/2013-14, Situated at Chikkanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Duly Converted From Agricultural to Residential Purpose Vide Converted Order No. ALN (NAY), SR.No.272 and 273/2007-08 converted by Special Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District, Bangalore, Measuring : Eastern Side : 165 Feet, Western Side : 170 Feet, Northern Side : 111.2 Feet, Southern Side : 111.8 Feet (165 + 170) Feet and (110 + 111.2) / 2 totally Measuring 18,592.5 Square Feet and Bounded on : East by : Remaining Property in the same Survey Number belongs to Sri. S. Raja and Others, West by : Remaining Property in the same Survey Number belongs to Sri. S. Raja and Others, North by : Road, South by : Government Rock.

Schedule - B : (Property Owned by Mr. Raghu Raman, S/o. Venkatesh.D)

(Description of Undivided Share in Schedule - A Property) Proportionate undivided Share of 241.5 Square Feet, in the Schedule - A Property According to Schedule - C and Total Super Built-up Area.

Schedule - C : (Property Owned by Mr. Raghu Raman, S/o. Venkatesh.D)

Residential Flat Bearing No.310, 3rd Floor, Having a Super Built-up Area of 1,050 Sq.Ft. of RCC Roofing, Consisting of Two Bedrooms, built with Bricks and Cement Walls, Vitrified Flooring, Wood Doors and Aluminum Framed Windows and provided with Separate Electricity, Water Supply and Sanitary lines from the common pipelines in the building known as OMEGAASTER With one covered Car Parking in Stilt Floor.

Reserve Price : Rs.29,00,000/-

(Rupees Twenty Nine Lakh only) (For Schedule : A, B & C)

RE-AUCTION DETAILS

Date of Re-Tender-cum-Auction Sale	Venue
22-07-2025	City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-R.T.Nagar Branch, No.590, HMT Layout, 4th Cross, R.T. Nagar, Bangalore - 560032. Telephone No.080-23337000, Cell No. 9342855177.

Terms and Conditions of Re-Tender-cum-Auction Sale :

(1) The intending bidders should be present in person for the auction and participate personally and give a declaration in writing to the effect that he/she is bidding for himself/herself. **(2)** The intending bidders may obtain the Tender Forms from **The Manager, City Union Bank Limited, Bengaluru-R.T. Nagar Branch, No.590, HMT Layout, 4th Cross, R.T. Nagar, Bangalore - 560032. (3)** The intending bidders should submit their bids only in the Tender Form prescribed in sealed envelopes addressed to **The Authorised Officer, City Union Bank Ltd.,** together with a Pay Order / Demand Draft for an EMD of **10%** of the Reserve Price, drawn in favour of **"City Union Bank Ltd.", on or before 12.00 Noon** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. **(4)** For inspection of the property and other particulars, the intending purchaser may contact **Telephone No.080-23337000, Cell No. 9342855177. (5)** The property/ ies are sold on "As-is-where-is", "As-is-what-is" and "whatever-there is" basis. **(6)** The sealed tenders will be opened in the presence of the intending bidders at **01.00 p.m.** on the date of Tender-cum-Auction Sale hereby notified. Though in general the sale will be by way of closed tenders, the Authorised Officer may, at his sole discretion, conduct an Open Auction among the interested bidders who desire to quote a bid higher than the one received in the closed tender process, and in such an event, the sale shall be conferred on the person making highest bid. The sale, however, is subject to confirmation of City Union Bank Limited. **(7)** The successful bidder shall have to pay **25% (inclusive of EMD paid)** of the sale amount **immediately** on completion of sale and the balance amount of **75%** within **15 days** from the date of confirmation of sale, failing which the initial deposit of **25%** shall be forfeited. **(8)** The Sale Certificate will be issued by the Authorised Officer in favour of the successful purchaser only after receipt of the entire sale consideration within the time limit stipulated herein. **(9)** The successful purchaser shall bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance, such as stamp duty, registration fee etc., as applicable under law. **(10)** The successful bidder should pay the statutory dues (lawful house tax, electricity charges and other dues), TDS, GST if any, due to Government, Government Undertaking and local bodies. **(11)** The Authorised Officer shall have all the powers to accept or reject the bids or postpone or cancel the sale without assigning any reason whatsoever.

Place : Kumbakonam, Date : 02-07-2025 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.** 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

RAIL COACH FACTORY, KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

S. No.	Tender No. and Due Date	Description	Quantity (Nos./Sets)	EMD (Rs.)
1.	17251126A 22.07.2025	Set of Seats & Berths with Integrated Cushion and Upholstery for L.H.B. SCN Coaches	16 Sets	3,30,400/-
2.	13255218 28.07.2025	Portable Type Rail Weigh Bridge	01 No.	1,95,280/-
3.	14241224 25.07.2025	Fire Extinguisher with Anti-Theft arrangement in Non AC Coaches	5467 Nos.	1,16,120/-
4.	14241226A 29.07.2025	PVC Flooring Roll	1750 Nos.	8,07,590/-
5.	14251006A 28.07.2025	PVC Flooring Roll	3869 Nos.	20,00,000/-
6.	17251347 23.07.2025	Set of Seat and Berth for L.H.B. AC Hot Buffet Coaches	24 Sets	1,49,470/-
7.	05251398 29.07.2025	End Wall Assembly	149	3,58,670/-
8.	14251113 28.07.2025	Sound Insulating Wood Panel	1360 Nos.	1,65,920/-
9.	01251231 31.07.2025	Set of Control Equipment Items (Bogie) for 3-Phase MEMU/ DMC & TC Bogie	550 Set	10,56,370/-
		Supply of Control Equipment for Air Suspension System for 3-Phase MEMU DMC & TC Coaches	216 Set	
10.	05251499 29.07.2025	Set of Doorway Partition	200 Set	4,58,780/-
11.	05251462 29.07.2025	Battery Box Assembly	771 Nos.	4,56,340/-
12.	05251506 30.07.2025	Enhanced Capacity Side Buffer	155 Nos.	90,540/-
13.	05251504 29.07.2025	Door Frame Assembly	1572 Nos.	6,78,920/-
14.	05251508 30.07.2025	End Part Complete	152 Nos.	6,38,160/-
15.	05251431 25.07.2025	Set of Carline	59 Set	1,09,300/-

1. For details and making on-line bids, visit website **http://ireps.gov.in**. Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in**. Class III-b digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in**. **2.** Tenders will close at 14.25 Hrs. on due date and tenders will be opened at 14.30 hrs. Tender at Sl. No. 1 to 8 will be opened at RCF Kapurthala and Sl. No. 9 to 15 will be opened at Tilak Bridge, New Delhi. **3.** For queries, contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF helpdesk at 011-23378658.

Note: GST Number of RCF is 03AAAGM0289C1ZT. All the suppliers are advised to quote this in dispatch documents for the supplies made by them.

PCMM

CORRIGENDUM

Tenderers may please note the following changes in 1. Tender No. 17251194 for Procurement of Set of Seat attachment profile for L.H.B. AC CC and Non AC CC Coaches, Due date to be read as 15.07.2025 instead of 30.06.2025. **2.** Tender No. 17251131 for Supply of Supply, Installation and Commissioning & Maintenance of Automatic Fire Detection cum Suppression System (High Pressure Water Mist System) for LHB Power Car and Pantry Car Coaches, Due date to be read as 14.07.2025 instead of 03.07.2025. **3.** Tender No. 17251028A, Due date to be read as 14.07.2025 instead of 04.07.2025. **4.** Tender No. 17251171 for Procurement of Stainless Steel Step Complete, Due date to be read as 18.07.2025 instead of 08.07.2025. **5.** Tender No. 02251178 for Eight Types of Thin Walled Flex Elast Cable in 1.5 SQMM, **(i)** Tender Qty. to be read as 3148000 MTR instead of 2908000 MTR. **(ii)** EMD (In Rs.) to be read as 15,88,290.00 instead of 14,69,340.00. **All other terms & conditions will remain the same.**

PCMM

R.O. No. 41-S/2025-26 **Dated 03.07.2025**

Government of Karnataka.

(WATER RESOURCE DEPARTMENT)

(KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED)

Executive Engineer, KNNL KPC Division No-1, Bidar

No:EE/KNNL/KPCD-1/BDR/TND/2025-26/378 Date: 26-06-2025.

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Only Through e-procurement System). In Two cover system

Tenders in Electronic mode on "PERCENTAGE BASIS" are invited on behalf of the Managing Director, KNNL, Bangalore, by the Executive Engineer, KNNL, K P C Division No.1, Bidar in Two cover system, from the contractors/firm/company enrolled under KNNL and KPWD of Karnataka State who fulfill the qualifying conditions, for the details mentioned below. **Works Details**:-Reserved for SC (Indent No-3016) Amount put to tender **Rs. 42,37,732.28** (Forty two Lakhs Thirty Seven thousand Seven hundred and Thirty two Rupees paise Two Eight only) & **EMD Amount Rs:50,000/-** (Fifty Thousand Rupees only) & Reserved for ST (Indent No:3012) **Amount put to tender Rs. 50,88,895.42,** (Fifty Lakhs Eighty Eight thousand Eight hundred and Ninety five Rupees paise Four Two only) & **EMD Amount Rs:60,000/-** (Sixty Thousand Rupees only), Reserved for Category 2(A) (Indent No:3013) **Amount put to tender Rs. 50,88,296.77** (Fifty Lakhs Eighty Eight thousand Two hundred and Ninety Six Rupees paise Seven Seven only) & **EMD Amount Rs:60,000/-** (Sixty Thousand Rupees only), for General(Indent No:2998, 3015 & 3014) **Amount put to tender Rs. 33,93,188.77 to Rs:42,37,685.35** (Thirty three Lakhs Ninety three thousand One hundred and Eighty Eight Rupees paise Seven Seven to Forty two lakhs Thirty Seven thousand Six hundred and Eighty five Rupees Paise Three five only) & **EMD Amount Rs:80,000/- to Rs:1,00,000/-** (Eighty Thousand Rupees to One Lakh Rupees only). Stipulated Time period Four months including Monsoon. Scheduled date: a) Access to the e-tender documents :**From 27-06-2025to 07/07/2025 up to 16.00 Hrs,** b)Cost of Tender form and EMD: As per e-procurement, c) Last date to submit tender documents: **07/07/2025 up to 16.00Hrs,** d) Opening of Technical Bid (Two Cover):**09/07/2025@11.00 Hrs & Financial Bid Date:11/07/2025 @17.00 Hrs** or after approval of technical bid. All details & information can be had from the office of the under signed during office hours and visit website www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Executive Engineer, KNNL KPC, Division no -1, Bidar

DIPR/Bidar/87/KSMC&A/2025-26

CHAMUNDESHWARI ELECTRICITY SUPPLY CORPORATION LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)

Corporate Office, Procurement Section, CESC, Mysuru-570017.

Ph: 9448994705, Email: gmpurc@cescmysore.org, Website: www.cescmysore.org

No. CESC/GM(P)/DGM(P)/AGM(P-1)/2025-26/9195 Date: 27.06.2025

Short Term Tender Notification (E-Procurement Portal Only)

CESC, Mysore invites Short Term Tenders from eligible bidders for carrying out the following work on Total turnkey basis;

Sl.No.	Particulars	Enquiry No/Date
1	Extending power supply to the left out village from the segregated Non-agricultural feeder in Channarayapatna Sub-division	C2-6259/27-06-2025
2	Extending power supply to the left out village from the segregated Non-agricultural various feeders in various 11 kv feeders of Nuggehalli Sub-division	C2-6260/27-06-2025
3	Estimate for providing 240 Sqmm XLPE UG cable link newly formed breaker from Hosur Gate MUSS to 1st Pakshirajapura Village of 11kv Pala NJY feeder line O & M Govindanahalli section, Hunsuru Sub-division	C2-6261/27-06-2025
4	Estimate for providing Link line from Mattinavile MUSS to Hosakoppalu village limits (DP) to Bifurcate the load from F9 Kempinakote feeder emanating from 66/11kv MUSS Mattinavile in S.Belagola Section, C.R Patna Subdivision.	C2-6262/27-06-2025

The details regarding participation in the tender can be obtained through e-procurement portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **07.07.2025.** For clarification contact help desk **+91-8046010000, +91-8068948777 or e-mail address support@eprochelpdesk.com.** For Electricity related complaints Call: 1912

Sd/- General Manager, (Procurement), CESC, Mysuru

DIPR/MYSORE/565/SSC/2025-26

Estd:1916

THE BHAVASARA KSHATRIYACO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Head Office: "Sahakara Sadana", No.63/67, 24th Cross, Kilari Road, Bengaluru-560 053, Phone: 080-22972781/82

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY ISSUED UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of The Bhavasara Kshatriya Co-Operative Bank Limited Bangalore had taken possession of the house properties described hereunder mortgaged to the Bank by way of security for repayment of immovable Property Loan availed by the respective borrowers mentioned here below, Notice of Auction of the secured assets is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the public in general, under Rules 8 & 9 of Security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Details of the borrower, property, reserve price, etc, are as below

Sl No.	Borrower/s Name Branch Name	Property Address	Reserve Price & Amount Due to Bank	Public Auction Date, Time & Place
	MALLESWARAM BRANCH			
1	Smt. Kavitha S No.191, 3rd E Cross, Judge's Colony, Carmel English School, Basaveshwarnagar, Bangalore 560 079.	SCHEDULE A PROPERTY All that piece and parcel of immovable property Site No.2, Old Katha No.34/3 and 34/4, BBMP Katha No. 206/34/3/2/34/4, situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, presently under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.8 with all rights appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surfaces. Measuring East to West: 86+80 feet 2 North to South : 101.5 feet, Totally measuring 8424.5 Sqft. Bounded on East by : Road, West by : Private property, North by : Property No.1, South by: property No.3 SCHEDULE B PROPERTY (Description of the Apartment) Residential Flat Bearing No. F-304, in the Third Floor, constructed on the Schedule 'A' property, with a super Built-up area of 1112 square Feet, with 1 covered Car Parking in the Residential Building known as "Sai Balaji Meadows" together with all common area attributed thereto. Bounded on the East by : Flat No.301, West by : Open to Sky, North by : Flat No.305 South by: Flat No.303. SCHEDULE C PROPERTY 310 square feet, Undivided share, right, title and interest in the land comprised herein after called the Schedule 'A' property.	Reserve Price ₹ 45,55,000.00 Amount Due as on 06.08.2025 is ₹ 43,40,425.00	06.08.2025 at 11.30 am at your premises Residential Flat Bearing No. F-304, in the Third Floor, "Sai Balaji Meadows" Immovable property bearing Site No.2, Old Katha No.34/3 and 34/4, BBMP Katha No. 206/34/3/2/34/4, situated at Kodigehalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk.
	BASAVANAGUDI BRANCH			
1	Smt. Nagaveni M Sri Manirathnam M Smt Mahalakshmi M, No.428, 1st Cross, 1St Main, T R Nagar, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore 560 028	SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY All that piece and parcel of House property bearing No.428, BSK 3rd stage extension, now at 1st Cross, Vidyapeeta, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-28, PID No.54-67-428, Measuring East to West : 31 feet 6 inches North to South : 56+50 feet 2 Together with the building consisting of ground plus three floors, with all amenities and, Bounded on East by : Site No.427 West by : Site No.429, North by : Road South by: Site No.435 SCHEDULE "B" PROPERTY (Mortgaged under this Deed) All the piece and parcel of Ground Floor house having a built-up area of approximately 1300 square feet together with 1/3rd undivided land in the Schedule Property in the House property bearing No.428, BSK 3rd Stage extension, now at 1st Cross, Vidyapeeta, BSK 3rd stage, Bengaluru-28, PID No.54-67-428 Bounded on the East by : Site No.427, West by : Site No.429 North by : Road, South by: Site No.435	Reserve Price ₹ 56,74,907.00 Amount Due as on 12.08.2025 is ₹ 19,12,217.00	12.08.2025 at 11.30 am at your premises immovable property Ground Floor portion No.428, BSK 3rd stage extension, now at 1st Cross, Vidyapeeta, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-28,

Place of Auction: At the places mentioned in column no. 5

Date of Auction: As per details in column No.5 above and 'AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION'

Terms and Conditions:

1. To participate in the Auction, the intending bidders have to deposit a sum of Rs.25000-00 by way of DD as EMD favoring The Bhavasara Kshatriya Co-Operative Bank Limited, Bengalore payable at Bangelore on the date of Auction before 10.30am.
2. The successful bidder should pay 25% of the bid amount immediately on the same day and the balance of 75% within 15 days in single installment by way of DD as stated above. If the successful bidder defaults in effecting payment or fails to adhere to the terms of sale in any manner, the amount already deposited will be forfeited and he/she shall not have any claim on such forfeited amount.
3. All other liabilities charges and expenses like legal charges, stamp duty, registration fee/cost etc. shall be borne by the purchaser only.
4. On receipt of the entire bid amount and on confirmation of sale the undersinged shall issue a Certificate of Sale in favor of the purchaser in the form given in the aforesaid Act.
5. The deposit of the unsuccessful bidders would be returned without interest immediately on conclusion of the Auction.
6. The Undesigned shall have powers to include or exclude or accept or reject bids or postpone/ cancel the Auction without assigning any reason thereof including addition or deletion of other terms.
7. For inspection of the property and other particulars the intending bidders may contact the undersigned at Head Office during office hours between 10.00 AM and 5.00PM.
8. For further details contact The Assistant Manager of the Bank.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 02.07.2025

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Bhavasara Kshatriya Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bengaluru

ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ-ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ

ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರ ಕಚೇರಿ, ಧಾರವಾಡ

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ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸನ್ 2024-25 ಹಾಗೂ 2025-26ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ವಾರ್ಡ ಅನುದಾನ, 2025-26ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಅನುದಾನ, ಅನುದಾನದಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂಜೂರಾದ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಅಧ್ಯಾದೇಶ 1999-2000ರ ನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಪ್ರೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, PWD ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತರಾದ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು.

ವಾರ್ಡ ಸದಸ್ಯರ ಅನುದಾನ

(1) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42415/45.80 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡ **(2)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42411/2.68ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(3)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42414/35.42ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(4)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42417/15.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(5)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42694/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(6)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42584/2.80ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡ **(7)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42686/33.02 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ **(8)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42656/48.00 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡ **(9)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42582/25.46ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ **(10)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42695/ 7.43 ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪ್ರವರ್ಗ-2ಎ **(11)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42657/48.97ಲಕ್ಷ/ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(12)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42583/7.71ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪ್ರವರ್ಗ-1 (13) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 41390/4.83ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ (14) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42655/3.40ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(15)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43677/25.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(16)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43691/25.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(17)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44006/18.25ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪ್ರವರ್ಗ-2ಎ **(18)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44007/15.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ **(19)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44009/48.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(20)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43321/9.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪ್ರವರ್ಗ-2ಎ **(21)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43913/5.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಪ್ರವರ್ಗ-2ಎ **(22)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43938/5.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(23)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44284/25.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(24)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44119/15.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(25)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 40671/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(26)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 40807/10.50ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(27)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 38591/5.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(28)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 40551/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(29)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 35277/25.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(31)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 26432/123.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ

ಶಾಸಕರ ಹಾಗೂ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನ

(31) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42693/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ

2025-26 ಸಾಲಿನ ಹಾಗೂ 2020-21ನೇ 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಉಳಿತಾಯದ ಅನುದಾನ

(32) ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42586/60.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(33)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44114/15.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(34)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44115/10.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(35)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 42116/14.92ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(36)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 43479/14.62ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ **(37)** ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್ ನಂ. 44020/20.00ಲಕ್ಷ/ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ

ಒಟ್ಟು 37 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ.810.31 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಿಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಬೇಕಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು ಧಾರವಾಡ ಕಚೇರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ದೂರವಾಣಿ **ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 0836-2213838** ರಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್ ಜಾಲದ ಮೂಲಕ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ವಿಳಾಸ http://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಸದರಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದೇ ಬದಲಾವಣೆ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅ.ನಂ. 1 ರಿಂದ 37 ರವರೆಗೆ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 04-07-2025** ರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

ಈ ಮೇಲಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ (1 ರಿಂದ 35)

(1) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 22-07-2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04:00** ಗಂಟೆ **(2)** ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 23-07-2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04:30** ಗಂಟೆ **(3)** ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 29-07-2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04:30** ಗಂಟೆ

ಈ ಮೇಲಿನ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ (36 ರಿಂದ 37 ಕ್ಕೆ)

(1) ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 11/07/2025** ಸಂಜೆ **04:00** ಗಂಟೆ **(2)** ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 14-07-2025** ಸಂಜೆ **10:30** ಗಂಟೆ

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು
ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ-ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ಧಾರವಾಡ.

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಧಾರವಾಡ/376/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ/2025-26

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DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF CHAPTER III OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002.

Borrower Name and Address: **1. M/s Brundavan Educational Trust ® (Sampoorna Group of Institutions)** # 171/1, Basement,Chiranjeevi Residency, 2th A Cross, JP Nagar 1st Phase,Sarakki, Bangalore – 560 078 M/s Brundavan Educational Trust ®(Sampoorna Group of Institutions)Mudugere Gate,Belekere, Channapattana 562160. Rep by its Trustees **2.Dr. Sampoorna Naidu** # 171/1, 4B, Chiranjeevi Residency, 12th A Cross, JP Nagar 1st Phase, Sarakki, Bangalore – 560 078 **3.Dr. BSM Naidu** # 171/1, 4B, Chiranjeevi Residency, 12th A Cross, JP Nagar 1st Phase, Sarakki, Bangalore – 560 078

Sir/Madam,

Subject: **Financial assistance sanctioned to you by Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-Operative Bank Ltd. - Defaults committed by you in payment of installments of principal, interest etc.**

We **Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-operative Bank Ltd., Vijayanagar Branch, Bangalore,** had at your request granted you Credit facilities by way of financial assistance on the terms and conditions contained in the agreement's and document's duly executed in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said credit facilities and the amount outstanding repayable by you are stated in **Annexure-I**.

As security for the said financial assistance to you have created security interest in favour of **Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-operative Bank Ltd., Vijayanagar Branch, Bangalore** interalia, by way of Hypothecation of Movable Properties/ Mortgage of immovable properties by executing necessary security Documents/agreements. The particulars of the secured assets are specifically mentioned in **Annexure-II**.

In terms of the agreements and documents entered into by you all with **Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** you were required to repay the principal amounts of the financial assistance in accordance with repayment as contained in the said agreements/ Documents and also to pay interest thereon at the rates and in the manner as stated in the said agreements and Documents. The operation and conduct of the accounts in respect of the above said financial assistance/credit facilities have become irregular and your debt has since been classified by **Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,** as a Non Performing Asset on 08.08.2024 consequent to the default committed by you in repayment of principal debt and interest thereon.

Accordingly in exercise of the powers conferred in terms of Section 13(2) of the Securitisaltion and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act') **Sir M. Visvesvaraya Co-Operative Bank Ltd.

EDITORIAL

"When indigenous people speak to nature, others think it's a primitive thing. But it's this way of thinking that's primitive. What many consider wild is a way to preserve life for us. Money is of no use if there's no water

Sonia Guajajara

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— Ramnath Goenka

NO IFS AND BUTS ABOUT CONSTITUTION'S AMENDED PREAMBLE

AN Emergency-era constitutional amendment inserting a couple of words to the Preamble—socialist and secular—is back in public gaze. That it was flagged by RSS General Secretary Dattatraya Hosabale, a politically savvy leader, made its latest iteration consequential. Emphasising that they were added at a time when the fundamental rights were suspended, parliament was dysfunctional, and the judiciary had become pliant, Hosabale suggested a debate on the Preamble's reset. But that came in the teeth of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's assertion in 2023 that any talk of amending the Constitution was "meaningless". Rumours about tinkering with the Constitution through the parliamentary supermajority the BJP sought played its part in opposition consolidation in the run-up to the 2024 Lok Sabha elections. It contributed to the BJP's slide, as the party fell short of majority in the Lower House. Yet, when the second-most senior leader in the RSS makes a point, the BJP listens. Soon enough, people holding high offices—Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar, Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma and Union ministers Shivraj Singh Chouhan and Jitendra Singh—concurred with Hosabale.

However, last November, the Supreme Court had thrown out petitions seeking the purge. A bench led by the then Chief Justice, Sanjiv Khanna, ruled that the concept of secularism represents one of the facets of the right to equality. Several landmark Supreme Court verdicts have also upheld secularism as part of the Preamble and the Constitution's basic structure. On socialism, the court said, "The way we understand socialism in India is very different from other countries. In our context, socialism primarily means a welfare state. That is all."

With the judiciary drawing the red line and closing the door, the issue can only be dealt with by parliament. The opposition is already sharpening its knives, warning it will not allow any such change to the Constitution. When the government says on record that it holds the Constitution as the 'holiest of holy books', there can be no ifs and buts about the amended Preamble. Despite multiple debates in the past on the insertion of the two words and scoring polemical points, there was no parliamentary consensus on removing them. India's social fabric of a multi-ethnic, multi-religious welfare state must be kept out of harm's way.

ENSURE WORKERS' SAFETY WITH STRICT COMPLIANCE

ONE death is a tragedy, a million a statistic—so goes the cynical saying. This is especially true in the case of industrial accidents in the country. From the Bhopal gas leak to the blast at Sigachi Industries in Telangana, thousands have lost lives over decades and many more maimed for life. Yet, after a flurry of knee-jerk reactions, the Centre, the states and the companies go back to business as usual rather than seriously introspecting and finding a permanent solution to ensure workers' safety.

The Sigachi blast crashed a building and resulted in the death of 38 workers. At the end of Thursday, 10 others were missing. Yes, compensation has been announced and panels formed to investigate the cause of the accident; but the void left among the shattered families can never be filled. As per official data, close to 500 industrial mishaps of different magnitudes have occurred over the last five years in Hyderabad, a pharma hub. But in several other states, too, such accidents are just waiting to happen. Neighbouring Andhra Pradesh has seen several tragedies including the LG Polymers gas leak, as has Tamil Nadu in its fireworks factories. Between 2017 and 2020, on an average, three people died every day in factory accidents, according to the Union labour ministry's Directorate General Factory Advice Service and Labour Institutes. The National Disaster Management Authority has counted 130 chemical accidents over the past decade. Reports suggest over 3,000 died in such incidents between 2018 and 2020. Mind you, these statistics do not include the informal sector and even the micro, small and medium enterprises.

It's not that we do not have laws to protect workers—in fact, we have enough of them. The Centre brought in the Occupational Safety, Health and Working Conditions Code in 2020. The problem is in effective implementation and in turning a blind eye to safety standards in the push to improve the ease of doing business. Also, several ministries are involved in ensuring compliance, causing confusion. The alarming regularity of accidents not only costs precious lives, but also deals a blow to the manufacturing sector. It is high time governments got their act together to strictly enforce norms, and make an example of managements that flout them and the errant officials who give such managements a free pass.

QUICK TAKE

SANDAL NOT THE SCANDAL

WE are quick to vent ire when others appropriate our cultural heritage. The latest borrowed object of desire is the Kolhapuri sandal, which Prada recently showcased at a fashion show in Milan. Shamed by social media warriors, the Italian multinational told the Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce it's open to "dialogue for meaningful exchange with local Indian artisans". But when was the last time we sought out some of the 605 Indian items assigned Geographical Indication tags? Have Kasuti embroideries, Gollabhama textiles or Myladi carvings found new markets? Like the handicraft movement pioneered by Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay in the 1950s, Indian states must help each other promote their crafts. The lack of cooperative marketing—which can help millions of artisans—is the real scandal.

The conflicts raging today reveal that the old world order, long declared dead, is back with a vengeance. *Raison d'état* and balance of power underpin the realignments afoot

OUT WITH THE NEW ORDER, IN WITH THE OLD

MANISH TEWARI

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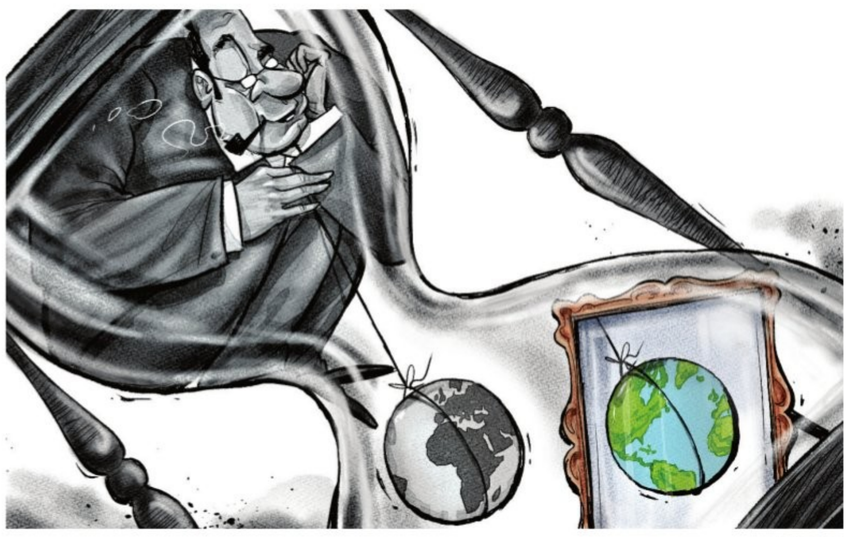

SOURAV ROY

FEW questions of global governance today are as consequential as the following. Is the post World War II order dead and a new one yet to be conceived? Do we, therefore, exist in an age of monsters? Or are we back to the old order as it was conceived in the 17th and 18th centuries?

Humankind is witnessing conflicts playing out concurrently on five continents. The rise of unprecedented trade tensions across the world triggered by President Donald Trump's attempt to destructure the international architecture of commerce. Russia's war in Ukraine that began in February 2022. The conflicts between Israel on one side and Hamas, Hezbollah, Houthis and Iran on the other since October 2023. And the rise of China over the past three decades, which has attained portentous overtones in large parts of the world. The added dynamic is the latest India-Pakistan standoff, the worst since the Kargil War 26 years ago, and the US bombing of Iran.

Modern strategic thought is, essentially, a European construct because of an era of experimentation with ideas and the impulses of colonialism. The arrival of mechanised printing animated the Renaissance, Reformation and other humanist movements. Those, in turn, gave structure to contemporary strategic canons.

The Peace of Westphalia in 1648 sanctified the construct of a nation-state. Cardinal de Richelieu, the first minister of France in the first half of the 17th century, propounded the concept of *raison d'état*—each nation acting in its best national interest. It was closely followed by the doctrine of balance of power, an alliance system conceptualised by Hugo Grotius and first put into practice by William of Orange, later King William III of England, in the second half the century. These three doctrinal templates laid the foundational stencil of international relations that is kosher even today.

The Concert of Vienna, which came into effect in 1815, tested these three hypotheses. It ensured an uneasy peace for the next 99 years till World War I—except for the Crimean wars of 1854-56.

In May 1892, in a memorandum to Russian Foreign Minister Nikolay Girs, the adjutant general of the Russian army, Nikolai Orbuchev, explained why the traditional method of determining *casus belli* had been overtaken by modern technology. What mattered most was who mobilised first, and not who fired the first shot.

On June 28, 1914, Archduke Franz Ferdinand, heir to the Austro-Hungarian throne, was assassinated. Within a month, the doomsday machine of general mobilisation, coupled with *raison d'état*, unleashed itself upon Europe. Once Austria-Hungary and Germany started to mobilise, other European powers followed suit and a world war commenced. By 1918, this Armageddon had left 17 million people dead.

Two decades later, the imperatives of the alliance system triggered the Second World War. In 1938, German troops annexed Austria and then occupied Sudetenland, a part of German-speaking Czechoslovakia. Almost a year later, the Nazis marched into Poland on September 1, 1939. Great Britain, according to the terms of the Anglo-Polish Pact, declared war on Germany two days later; France followed suit. When the war dominos finally stopped, 85 million were dead.

These mobilisation templates and alliance systems were carried forward to the Cold War with the addition of the MAD or mutually assured destruction doctrine—inserted into the dynamics of war by nuclear weapons—until the dissolution of the Soviet Union in 1991. We are now in the third age of nuclear weapons.

In 1992, Francis Fukuyama, in his acclaimed book, *The End of History and The Last Man*, argued that the collapse of the Soviet Union marked the "end point of mankind's ideological evolution" and that the liberal template would be the default world order.

However, in 1996, Samuel Huntington wrote *The Clash of Civilizations and the Remaking of World Order*, in which he argued that the epoch of ideology had reached an inflection point, and thereafter, humankind would regress into an age delineated by cultural conflict all over again. Clashes would be along religious, ethnic and cultural lines.

Both Fukuyama and Huntington were gazing into the crystal ball, trying to predict the ebb and flow of historical impulses in shaping the post-communist world order that had led to a unique situation of unipolarity in international affairs.

On September 11, 2001, when semi-state actors put the only omnipresent hyper-power, the US, on notice by crashing passenger-filled jets into the World Trade Centre and the Pentagon, liberal democracy certainly had not emerged as the global choice. The events of 9/11 inaugurated a new chapter in global affairs, wherein 'war on terror' became the new buzz phrase.

The events in Afghanistan between 2001 and 2021 demonstrate that despite the US spending $2.3 trillion on the war, or almost $300 million a day, the country did not turn into a democratic haven for the Afghans. In fact, Afghanistan was a classical test case for the Fukuyama thesis, courtesy the direct involvement of the US for over 20 years.

Neither was it a clash of civilisations—for, if that had been, the US would not have engaged with the same Taliban it ousted 20 years ago. The Doha Agreement of February 29, 2020 paved the way for the return of the Taliban. It was a classical case of *raison d'état* at play.

The invasion of Libya in 2011 under the rubric of Right to Protect did not turn that country into a democracy. The impulse was to get rid of Colonel Muammar Gaddafi's despotic regime, as the Iraq invasion in 2003 was to get rid of Saddam Hussein.

Likewise, after the collapse of communism in the 1990s, China did not become democratic, nor is its ominous rise a civilisational struggle with other cultures. It is again purely driven by what China perceives as its national interest—the Middle Kingdom's destined place in the natural order of things.

Therefore, the affairs of people and nations are still governed by two fundamental precepts, both dating back to the 17th century. The first, *raison d'état*, and the second, the balance of power doctrine and alliance system. Technology and economics can be drivers, but are not determinants. The determinant is still state sovereignty.

We are indeed back to the old order. This would, unfortunately, be the fundamental underpinning of the new world order in the decades ahead. *(Views are personal)*

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THE BURNING RIVER OF DREAMS

"I went on the river for money, I sold my rotten shack / For a rusty tanker leaking oil, and the burning sun was on my back / Travelled up the ragin' river, I watched the jungle burn... I'm ridin' on a river of dreams / Amazon, is it heaven or hell?"

— *Amazon (River of Dreams)*, a 1993 song by jazz guitarist Artie Traum emblematic of the iconic river basin's dire straits three decades later

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CLIMATE impact on the Amazon rainforest and the issue of fossil fuels brought together the heads of Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Guyana, Peru, Suriname and Venezuela—eight members of Amazon Cooperation Treaty Organization (ACTO)—after 14 years in August 2023 at Belem, Brazil. Home to more than 1.5 million indigenous people representing over 385 ethnic groups and a verdantly diverse biome, the enigmatic Amazonia seeks inclusive social support, besides an environmental look.

Holding a fifth of all newly-identified global oil reserves, the region is currently witness to a frenzy as oil majors and nouveau rentiers capitalise on the opportunity. However, the well-documented history of "experimental exploration" in the Amazon basin reflects failed projects and environmental delinquency. Recurrent mechanical failures, sabotage, corrosion and natural disasters on ageing and "strategically misplaced" pipelines have resulted in thousands of oil spills over the last 50 years. River pollution and destruction of planet's largest rainforest remains a politically sensitive issue for Latin American oil producers, as they rely on exports to usher social and economic welfare.

With rampant hydrocarbon contamination of numerous waterways and Amazon tributaries, infrastructural compatibility and logistics management is essential for ethical production practices. The catastrophic March 2025 spill in coastal Esmeraldas from a ruptured trans-Ecuadorian pipeline, the worst in 30 years, is such a tragedy. The historic referendum of August 2023 precluded exploration in the country's Yasuní National Park, a Unesco Biosphere Reserve. Ceasing further operations in the area, Petroecuador was directed to "revive the ecosystems and dismantle any infrastructure within a year". However, 'stranded assets' and debris continue to besmear the pristine environs.

The Orinoco river belt in central and eastern Venezuela saw its first oil well in 1936. With the discovery of extra heavy crude and 20 percent of the world's proven reserves, major exploration was initiated in the area that extended further south around the Amazon rainforest. Frequent spills and infrastructural mismanagement by a callous PDVSA, the state oil company, accelerated the pace of deforestation and ecological catastrophe across the region. Similarly, scores of oil spills due to corrosion and faulty maintenance of Petroperu's Norperuano pipeline resulted in pollution of Maranon river, Peru's second largest and a mainstem source of Amazon river from the Andes.

NASA

Amazonian countries are witnessing a frenzy of oil exploration. But failures, sabotage and dereliction are contaminating the world's largest rainforest. The BRICS summit in Brazil allows the countries a chance to work on a framework to protect nature while pursuing oil revenues

Colombia, among the top five oil producers in South America, shares tales of "oil misdemeanours". The Rio Putumayo, an Amazon tributary flowing through Colombian forests before entering Ecuador, is sacred to the Siona and Inga indigenous communities with spiritual and cultural significance. Exploration since the 1940s and sabotages by armed rebels has sullied the river belt. While emphasising "ending deforestation in the Amazon is fundamental" in 2023, Colombian President Gustavo Petro halted approval of new extractive contracts. He suggested the creation of an 'Amazon NATO' to defend the region "with weapons", as a joint initiative of members.

Flowing close to areas under prospective drilling activities, the Branco river in Guyana, a major tributary of Amazon, faces potential ecological and environmental risks. Fearing this, Guyana's parliament recently passed the Oil Pollution Prevention Bill, making parties accountable for damages caused by spills and to provide financial assurance. Companies defaulting on regulatory compliance would face suspension of licence for exploration and production.

Brazil's state-run oil giant Petrobras awaits clearance from Ibama, the country's environmental regulator, to drill in the deepwater Equatorial Margin, an area along the Brazilian coast—specifically, off the mouth of the Amazon—with significant potential. It is here that the Amazon empties 200,000 cubic metres of water every second into the Atlantic, feeding the marine ecosystem with tonnes of nutrients. Brazil's Minister of the Environment, Marina Silva, born to a rubber-tapper family in a village near Rio Branco and a native Amazonian herself, is opposed to oil exploration in the area.

Oil remains a major contributor to ACTO members' GDPs and it would be unfair to deny them "the fruits of their wealth". They hold dreams of 'greener days', but the passage is dusky. The answer lies in due diligence, and not abstinence. A pragmatic approach to conserve Amazonia while balancing economic sustainability would be crucial. With 60 percent rainforest cover and as the seventh largest oil producer, Brazil defends its stance. President Lula da Silva states, "We will follow all the necessary procedures to ensure no harm to nature, but we can't ignore the wealth beneath us."

Green transition is a transcontinental liability. Amazonian countries need cooperation, especially from the major oil companies that flourish in partnership with them. International financing initiatives by the Global North are integral to judiciously carry forward the agenda.

Climate considerations at the BRICS summit in Rio de Janeiro this week provide ACTO members a chance to strengthen their position for just negotiations at COP30 later in the year at Belem. Incorporating adequate deterrents to environmental and infrastructural dereliction are needed to help preserve nature while pursuing economics. 'Clean after energy' should precede the move towards clean energy. *(Views are personal)*

MAILBAG

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Schools' capacity

Ref: *Accord mother tongue prominence, but embrace languages sans borders* (Jul 3). The elephant in the room is schools lacking resources to bear the load of an additional language. Without proper groundwork, multilingualism becomes a double-edged sword. Leaders must let languages bridge the gaps, not widen them.

Abbharna Barathi, Chennai

Anti-vax vox

Ref: *Heed prevailing factors in vaccine safety study* (Jul 3). If Covid vaccines were causing heart attacks, a global surge would be evident among the billions vaccinated. Conversely, heart attack trends would have remained stable or declined. Misinformation only fuels vaccine hesitancy and endangers progress. We must not base our views on speculation.

Christon Gonsalves, Belagavi

Lama's defiance

Ref: *Dharmachakra's turn* (Jul 3). If the world expected a drumroll, what it got was a gong of quiet defiance. By asserting that only the Gaden Phodrang Trust can decide his successor, the 14th Dalai Lama didn't just sidestep China's political theatre—he upstaged it with serene precision.

K Chidanand Kumar, Bengaluru

Manipur mourns

Ref: *Manipur's moral imagination takes off after a crash* (Jul 3). It's unsettling how a 'distant' tragedy evokes unity, while 'proximal' bloodshed hardens divides. It took the accidental deaths of two Manipuri women, far from home, to momentarily dissolve hostilities. In mourning them, Manipur glimpsed the humanity it had long denied itself.

Sagartirtha Chakraborty, Guwahati

Restraining order

Ref: *The world's only mega-bomber* (Jul 3). If all countries including Israel adopt a trade policy to isolate the US into stopping the export of weapons and importing raw materials to produce such destructive weapons, we could collectively achieve world peace. Someone better tie the bell on the cat.

S Kanthimathinathan, Kovilpatti

Police brutality

Ref: *New torture clip puts TN cops in spot* (Jul 3). This distressing news comes within days of the pathetic custodial murder of Ajithkumar. If the Tamil Nadu government orders screening of all CCTV camera footage in police stations across the state, far more skeletons are bound to fall out of the cupboard.

S Vaithianathan, Madurai

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Education is the greatest measure of development. There is growing suspicion that... BJP wants to snatch the 'right to education' from the coming generations

PM bats for African unity, Global South

Calls for continent's rightful place in an inclusive world order, thanks Ghana for support to terror fight

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

IN an address to Ghana's parliament on Thursday, visiting Prime Minister Narendra Modi affirmed India's solidarity with Africa and called for urgent reforms in global governance to reflect the aspirations of the Global South. He highlighted India's commitment to a more inclusive world order, stressing Africa's growing role in shaping the global agenda. "We emphasised Africa's rightful place at the global high table," Modi said. "We are proud that the African Union became a permanent member of the G20 during our Presidency."

He arrived to a rousing welcome in Accra. Ghanaian President John Dramani Mahama received Modi at the airport.

Framing the rapidly evolving global landscape as a defining moment, Modi noted that the world order shaped after the Second World War is being transformed by technological advances, shifting demographics, and the rising voice of the Global South.

He stated that the institutions established in the last century are struggling to address today's challenges, including climate change, pandemics, terrorism, and cyber threats, and called for credible and effective reforms in global governance. "Progress cannot come without giving voice to the Global South. We need more than slogans. We need action," he said, citing India's G20 presidency theme: One Earth, One Family, One Future.

Modi's speech in Accra marked a historic moment — the first visit by an Indian Prime Minister to Ghana in over three decades, and the first-ever address by an Indian leader to a special session of Ghana's Parliament. In a gesture of solidarity, some Ghanaian MPs attended the session wearing traditional Indian attire.

"In these times of global uncertainty, India's democratic stability shines as a ray of hope," PM Modi told Ghanaian lawmakers. "India's rapid progress is a catalyst for global growth. As the world's largest democracy, India is a pillar of strength for the world. A strong India will contribute to a more stable and prosperous world."

Recalling the shared legacy of colonial struggle between India and Ghana, Prime Minister Modi said that while both nations bear the scars of that past, "our spirits have always remained free and fearless". Quoting Ghana's first President, Dr. Kwame Nkrumah, he said: "The forces that unite us are intrinsic and greater than the superimposed influences that keep us apart." Modi emphasised that unity, peace, and justice are the bedrock of strong, lasting partnerships.

After the bilateral meeting with Mahama, Modi stressed that both nations consider terrorism to be the enemy of humanity. "We were unanimous that terrorism is the enemy of humanity. We thank Ghana for its cooperation in our fight against terrorism and have decided to strengthen cooperation in counter-terrorism," Modi said after the meeting.

India and Ghana signed four agreements following the talks, deepening cooperation across cultural, technological, and strategic areas. The pacts include a Cultural Exchange Programme to promote understanding through the arts and heritage; an agreement to enhance cooperation in certification and quality control; a partnership in traditional medicine research and training; and a Joint Commission framework to institutionalise high-level dialogue and regularly review bilateral cooperation.

Modi highlighted that India-Ghana trade has crossed $3 bn, with Indian companies investing over $2 bn in nearly 900 projects in the African country.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi during a visit to the Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park to pay homage to Dr Kwame Nkrumah, Ghana's founding President and a revered leader of the African independence movement, in Accra, on Thursday | PTI

Conferred with Ghana's highest civilian award

Prime Minister Narendra Modi was conferred with Ghana's highest civilian award — the Officer of the Order of the Star of Ghana. Accepting the award, PM Modi dedicated it to the 1.4 billion citizens of India, particularly its youth, rich cultural traditions, and diversity. He also highlighted the deep-rooted ties between India and Ghana. The PM also highlighted India's commitment to a more inclusive world order, stressing Africa's growing role in shaping the global agenda.

'We'll cross that bridge': EAM on US 500% tariff threat for Russia biz ties

JAYANTH JACOB @ New Delhi

EXTERNAL Affairs Minister S Jaishankar said India has conveyed its concerns to US Senator Lindsey Graham regarding his proposed legislation that seeks to impose a 500 per cent tariff on countries buying oil and other resources from Russia. "Regarding Senator Lindsey Graham's bill, any development which is happening in the US Congress is of interest to us if it impacts our interest or could impact our interest. So, we have been in touch with Senator Graham," Jaishankar told the media in Washington on Wednesday.

"The embassy and, ambassador have been in touch. Our concerns and our interests in energy, security have been made conversant to him. So, we'll then have to cross that bridge when we come to it, if we come to it," he said.

The proposed bill, seeks to penalise countries that continue to buy Russian oil, gas, and other commodities With over 80 co-sponsors in the US Senate, the legislation appears to have significant backing and could potentially be veto-proof.

India, a major buyer of Russian oil, has not publicly altered its energy strategy amid Western sanctions on Moscow. He said India would assess the situation as it evolves.

Graham has reportedly proposed a carve-out for nations assisting Ukraine's defence efforts, potentially exempting them from the steep tariffs. It remains unclear whether India would qualify under such provisions.

Meanwhile, intense negotiations are underway in Washington over a proposed interim trade agreement between India and the US. While India is pushing for greater market access for its labour-intensive goods, the US is seeking tariff concessions on agricultural exports. The Indian delegation is being led by Rajesh Agrawal, special secretary in the Department of Commerce.

Oppn has given in-principle nod to impeach Justice Varma, says govt

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

SIGNALING the Centre's intent to move ahead with the impeachment motion of Allahabad High Court judge Yashwant Varma, Union minister Kiren Rijiju on Thursday said that main opposition parties have given their in-principle approval to support the motion in the Monsoon session scheduled for July21 to August 21. The minister said the process of collecting signatures could begin soon.

He said the government is yet to decide whether the motion would be brought in the Lok Sabha or Rajya Sabha.

For Lok Sabha, signatures of a minimum 100 MPs are required and for the Rajya Sabha, the support of at least 50 MPs is required. He said the signatures will be collected after the government decides on the House where the motion will be brought.

According to the Judges (Inquiry) Act of 1968, once a motion to remove a judge is admitted in any of the Houses, the speaker or the chairman, as the case may be, will constitute a three-member committee to investigate the grounds on which the removal (or, in popular term, impeachment) has been sought.

The committee consists of the Chief Justice of India (CJI) or a Supreme Court judge, the chief justice of one of the 25 high courts and a "distinguished jurist." Rijiju said since the matter involves corruption in the judiciary, the government wants all political parties to be on board.

On being asked about the report of the in-committee which proved the cash discovery incident at Justice Varma's official residence, he said the report of the three-judge panel had not indicted Justice Varma and was meant to recommend future course of action as Parliament can only remove a judge.

A fire incident at Justice Varma's residence in the national capital in March, when he was a judge at the Delhi High Court, had led to the discovery of several burnt sacks of banknotes in the outhouse.

Though the judge claimed ignorance about the cash, the Supreme Court-appointed committee indicted him after speaking to a number of witnesses and recording his statement.

Then-CJI Sanjiv Khanna is believed to have prodded him to resign but Justice Varma dug in his heels.

The apex court has since repatriated him to his parent court, the Allahabad High Court, where he has not been assigned any judicial work.

Justice Khanna had written to the president and the prime minister, recommending the removal, which is the procedure for axing members of the higher judiciary from service.

Report meant for future course of action: Minister

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Ensure no House disruption: Speaker

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AHEAD of the Monsoon Session of Parliament, Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla on Thursday claimed that the 18th Lok Sabha has seen a rise in productivity and more meaningful debate due to a noticeable reduction in disruptions. He stated that democracy thrives through "dialogue, patience and depth of discussion".

Speaking at a national conference of Chairpersons of Urban Local Bodies, organised by the Lok Sabha in collaboration with the Haryana Legislative Assembly, Birla remarked that frequent disruptions—which were once a recurring feature—have significantly reduced in Parliament, thereby enhancing productivity and the quality of debate.

He further noted that the Lok Sabha has increasingly conducted late-night sessions and held long-duration debates, reflecting a more mature and responsible democratic culture.

"The members used to get placards to disrupt the proceedings of the House. The 17th Lok Sabha (2019–2024) was no different, but change was visible in the 18th Lok Sabha," he said, urging all political parties to strive for fewer disruptions during House proceedings. He cautioned that the public would "teach a lesson" to political parties that persist in disrupting proceedings

Stressing the role of urban local bodies in reinforcing democracy at the grassroots, he urged them to adopt structured procedures, including regular sittings, robust committee systems, and citizen engagement mechanisms, to bolster participatory governance.

The two-day national conference, which commenced on July 3 at the International Centre for Automotive Technology (ICAT), marked a landmark initiative aimed at exploring how urban local bodies can contribute to constitutional democracy and nation-building through participatory governance frameworks.

"There is a need to consider the importance of incorporating proven democratic practices such as Question Hour and Zero Hour in Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) and other local bodies, as such provisions in Parliament have played a vital role in holding the executive accountable and raising public concerns systematically", Birla said.

Lamenting that irregular or ad hoc municipal meetings weaken the effectiveness of local governance, Birla advocated for regular and structured sessions, standing committees, and open civic consultations. He emphasised that with over 600 million people projected to reside in urban areas by 2030, the scale and scope of urban governance must expand and adapt accordingly.

Birla also highlighted the crucial, everyday impact that ULBs have on the lives of citizens, particularly through their responsibilities in essential civic areas such as infrastructure development, sewage and sanitation, waste management, road construction, and pollution control. He praised the increasing participation of women in governance, noting that in many urban local bodies, women's representation has approached nearly 50%.

He urged delegates to ensure that plans are effectively implemented on the ground, pointing out that India has embraced local self-governance, from Gram Sabhas to urban municipalities, as part of its cultural and civic tradition.

Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla addresses a gathering at ICAT campus in Gurugram | PTI

'LS increasingly conducted late-night sessions'

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The 'American dream' that came crashing down

S LALITHA @ Nandgarh (Haryana)

WHEN 27-year-old Vishal left his village of Nandgarh in Haryana's Yamuna Nagar district in April 2024, he carried with him the hopes of his family and a dream — to make it big in the US. What he didn't know was that the journey would lead him through jungles, jails, and the very edge of survival.

Videos of Vishal being handcuffed and pinned down by US immigration officers atNewark Airport last month had sparked outrage and confusion online. Many assumed he was a student. But he was an illegal immigrant for sure. But the truth is far more complex.

Tracked down by this reporter on Wednesday, a shaken Vishal had returned to his village on June 26, after 15 harrowing months. He is not a student, but a Class 10 pass-out who once tilled his family's land. And he had been duped of ₹45 lakh by a Karnal-based agent who promised him an American work visa.

"My family sold our land to pay the agent," Vishal said. "He told us I'd first go to Europe and then be taken to the US through Central America. One of our relatives in Italy helped me get a nine-month farm visa. I reached Verona, stayed there for eight days, and then flew to Rome."

From there, Vishal's ordeal began — a gruelling journey that took him from Brazil to Colombia, then through Panama's deadly jungle routes. "I walked for four days through the Panama forest, climbed three mountains, waded through neck-deep rivers, and heard the roars of wild animals at night," he recalled. He eventually made it to Mexico. But in Mexico, Vishal's journey took a terrifying turn when he was kidnapped by a group who claimed the agent had failed to pay them their promised cut. Confined in a building for nearly two months, Vishal lived in constant fear.

"One night, I jumped off a second-floor balcony to escape," he recalled. "One of them fired at me as I ran, but I just ran for my life." Then he could find another agent whom he paid ₹5 lakh to be smuggled into the US in a truck crowded with other migrants.

Just before reaching the US border, their vehicle was intercepted. Vishal was arrested and imprisoned in Texas for 10 months.

The most painful moment came while behind bars. "My cousin visited me and told me my father had passed away," he said, choking up.

After months, he was brought to Newark Airport for deportation. That's when the now-viral incident occurred. "They kept calling me crazy. I just shouted, 'Me not crazy!' in anger. That got reported as violent behaviour, and I was taken back to prison," he said.

He was finally deported from Louisiana on June 25 along with 222 women detainees. Now back home, Vishal says he never intended to break law. "I just wanted to earn in dollars and bring my family to the US after I got permanent residency," he said. "I made a mistake by trusting wrong people."

His younger brother Viren is taking up IELTS coaching to leave for Australia. "I will do it completely legally," he says.

EXPRESS EXCLUSIVE

From Brazil to Panama's deadly jungle routes

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Streamlining process, NHAI rolls out template for land acquisition surveys

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

TO streamline Joint Measurement Surveys (JMS) carried out for land acquisition and maintain accuracy, the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) has developed a standardised template along with a comprehensive set of instructions for strict compliance.

It aims to address the deficiencies in the existing process, restructure the land acquisition procedure by ensuring accuracy, transparency, and completeness in documents. With the standardisation, the agency is also expecting to evade possible unwanted legal hassles during the acquisition.

According to an official note, the NHAI introduced the new arrangement after it observed inconsistencies in JMS reports and essential details missing on many occasions. These issues often lead to legal disputes and enhanced compensation claims at later stages of the land acquisition process.

"Given the past experiences, a standard template for JMS has been developed. Additionally, some instructions such as a deadline to complete the process and proper documentation of all assets as evidence, have been issued to address existing shortcoming," said officials.

The joint surveys for the proposed development of highways are to be conducted by the representatives of NHAI, concerned department of the state government, consultants appointed to prepare Detailed Project Report (DPR) and the land owners.

JMS activities fall within the scope of work of DPR consultant, who is responsible for Geotagging and preparing a comprehensive inventory of all assets attached to the land. This includes systematic documentation along with photographic and video evidence.

According to fresh directions, the JMS should be conducted within 15 days from the date of publication of '3A notification' and a report be also made. The notification formally declares the Government's intention to acquire land for a public purpose related to a national highway, initiating the land acquisition process.

Directions have also been issued to carefully carry out land parcel measurement with due accuracy and demarcate boundaries. The results will need to be cross-verified with GIS-based data.

The surveyors will capture photographs of all assets such as structures, trees or plants within the Right of Way (RoW) and their details along with the corresponding geo-tagged photographs should be uploaded on the Bhoomirashi portal; single point platform developed for online processing of land acquisition notifications to accelerate highway infrastructure development projects.

A HISSY FIT

As many as 37 snakes were on Wednesday found slithering below the floor of a house in Chhattisgarh's Arang town, just 40 km from Raipur. A snake catcher identified the serpents as belonging to the cobra family.

1 WOMAN KILLED IN UP BY IN-LAWS OVER DOWRY

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Chennai	37	29	Port Blair	29	27
Kolkata	30	27	Imphal	28	23
Srinagar	33	22	Chandigarh	33	29

254 Char Dham pilgrims evacuated, Yamunotri highway blocked ● Tent collapses during preparations for religious event in Chhatarpur

Kedarnath Yatra halted after massive landslide

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

THE vital Kedarnath Dham Yatra has been temporarily suspended following a massive landslide near Sonprayag in Rudraprayag district. The decision was made on Thursday after heavy rainfall triggered a significant landslide at Munkatia, completely blocking the road to the Himalayan temple.

Meanwhile, the Yamunotri Highway remains closed beyond Silai Band for the fourth consecutive day following a cloudburst incident. While pedestrian movement is possible, it remains precarious due to ongoing risks. Police sources confirmed that the Munkatia sliding zone was inundated with a large volume of debris and stones, rendering the route impassable and forcing authorities to halt the pilgrimage.

"Some pilgrims returning from Gaurikund were trapped in the sliding zone, but SDRF personnel rescued them and brought them safely to Sonprayag," said Arpan Yaduvanshi, Commandant of the State Disaster Response Force. "As a precautionary measure, traffic on this route has been stopped for now." Commandant Yaduvanshi further confirmed the swift rescue operation: "Around 40 pilgrims stranded in the Sonprayag landslide area while returning from Shri Kedarnath Dham were safely evacuated by SDRF. More than 40 pilgrims had been stranded since approximately 10 pm Wednesday after debris suddenly fell near Sonprayag on the way from Kedarnath Dham."

On Wednesday, approximately 254 passengers stranded between Syanchatti and Jankichatti were safely evacuated. Search and rescue operations are ongoing, with NDRF utilising sniffer dogs to locate seven people who are still missing after the incident.

The cloudburst near Silai Band and the overflowing drain at Ojri washed away a 20 to 25-meter section of the Yamunotri Highway. Seven individuals were swept away and went missing in the powerful current of debris and water at Silai Band. NDRF, SDRF, Police, and ITBP personnel are actively involved in the search for the missing and the safe evacuation of pilgrims.

Taxi buried under debris in another landslide

In a separate incident, a massive landslide occurred near Ummatta in Karnaprayag. Around 1 am, debris from the hillside descended directly into a hotel located along the highway. Fortunately, the hotel owner's family and staff managed to escape to safety. However, a taxi passing by at the time was buried under the debris.

1 dead, 7 hurt in rain fury at MP Bageshwar temple

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

A 50-year-old man from Uttar Pradesh reportedly died when the tent at the famous Lord Hanuman shrine, Bageshwar Dham, collapsed in heavy rains and blustery winds in Chhatarpur district of Madhya Pradesh on early Thursday morning.

The incident occurred around 7.30 am when devotees took shelter under the tent to escape the rain in Garha village, located 28 km from the district headquarters, Bamitha police station in-charge Ashutosh Shroti told reporters. The mishap, which also resulted in injuries to seven other devotees, mainly from outside MP, including UP and Rajasthan, happened when preparations were underway for the Friday birthday celebrations of the Hindu Rashtra supporter, religious preacher and Peethadhishwar Dhirendra Krishna Shastri 'Bagheshwar Dham Sarkar,' who heads the famous temple.

The deceased has been identified as Shyamlal Kaushal (50), a native of Chauri village of Basti district. He was part of a six-member family which had come from eastern UP on Wednesday night to take part in Friday's celebrations. Kaushal possibly suffered a fatal head injury when one of the iron pillars supporting the tent caved in. Rajesh Kaushal, resident of Chauri Sikandarpur in Uttar Pradesh's Basti district, told the press that his father-in-law, Shyamlal, died after a metal frame from the tent struck his head. He said six members of their family arrived at Bageshwar Dham by a car on Wednesday night. They had come to seek blessings from Bageshwar Dham seer Dhirendra Shastri, ahead of his birthday on Friday, he said. Five of the injured have been discharged from the hospital. At least two others, Neha Khatik from Rajasthan's Bhilwara district and Ramdayal Yadav from UP's Kushinagar district, are under treatment at the Chhatarpur district hospital.

Bagheshwar Dham houses the famous temple of Lord Hanuman in Garha village of Chhatarpur district and is a major pilgrimage centre.

How the tragedy unfolded amid downpour

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CHANDIGARH DIARY

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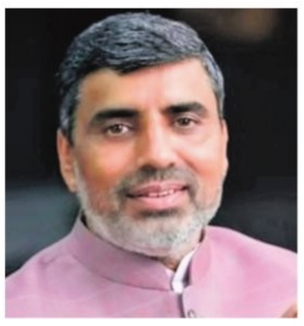
Haryana engineer's dressing down over dress

He shorted the power supply over a pair of shorts and paid a price for it. Executive Engineer Harish Goel of Uttar Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam, posted in Yamunanagar, was denied entry to a popular club in Ambala Cantonment because he was wearing shorts. The club's rules prohibit them. Peeved, he snapped the power supply to the club. Shailender Khanna, the president of Central Phoenix Club, submitted a complaint to Haryana Power and Energy Minister Anil Vij. He is also the MLA from Ambala Cantonment. Vij recommended Goel's suspension, saying such behaviour from a public servant was unacceptable.



All official work only in Hindi: Haryana Edu Min

Haryana Education Minister Mahipal Dhanda's directions to his department to conduct all official work and formal communications in Hindi have become a talking point in government circles. While Danda has issued these orders, the officials in his department are struggling to implement them. The problem is finding the right words in Hindi. This announcement follows a directive from the Directorate of Higher Education issued on June 10. "Even I don't know English, and 90% of the people in Haryana don't understand it either. I have ordered all work in the education department to be done in Hindi," the minister said recently.

Rijiju's dress-and-dance in Himachal Pradesh

Union Minister of Parliamentary Affairs and Minority Affairs Kiren Rijiju spent a memorable three days travelling to remote tribal areas in Lahaul and Spiti of Himachal Pradesh. He donned the traditional dress and even took part in the 'Nati' dance with the locals. BJP MP from Mandi, actor Kangana Ranaut, and local Congress MLA Anuradha Rana joined him. In a series of posts, Rijiju wrote on X, "Love and affection of Spiti Valley is mesmerising! Launched various projects at Kaza, furthering the vision of PM @ narendramodi ji to develop the border areas!" In another post, he wrote, "We joined (sic) with Kinnauri folk songs & dances!"

Jumbo hurt after IED planted by Naxals explodes

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

THE IEDs planted by Maoists in the Saranda jungles of Chaibasa do not only pose a threat to the security forces but also to wild animals.

It is suspected that an injured six-year-old elephant spotted in the woods late last month was hurt in an IED blast. The pachyderm's left hind leg has been found to be badly wounded and swollen. Locals who sighted the elephant say the giant mammal was splashing water on its wound, apparently in a bid to alleviate its pain and suffering.

The locals last saw the elephant near the Digha area of Saranda on June 27. Forest officials have confirmed the jumbo is injured but noted that the cause of the injury is yet to be ascertained.

Saranda Divisional Forest Officer Aviroop Sinha said, "The sighting of a wounded elephant in the jungles was first reported on June 27. It disappeared into the dense forests of Saranda shortly after. We have located the elephant, and efforts are on to rescue it."

Asked to confirm the cause of the injury, he said more details would emerge after it undergoes a medical examination and recovers.

Security for farmers in Manipur tightened, Central forces deployed

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

AS agricultural activities have begun, the Manipur government is taking measures for the safety of farmers who came under attacks during the ethnic violence in the state.

A delegation of three Imphal Valley-based civil society organisations, which met senior MHA officials in New Delhi recently, flagged the farmers' issue. They had demanded adequate security for the farming community and their farmlands. The last incident involving an attack on farmers took place on June 19 at Phubala in

Bishnupur district. A Meitei farmer was injured after being fired upon by an unknown attacker. Two other farmers escaped unhurt.

A combined headquarters meeting was held last week to review the security arrangements related to farming and prevent Phubala-like incidents. The meeting was chaired by Security Advisor Kuldiep Singh and attended by Chief Secretary PK Singh and DGP Rajiv Singh. The government said police personnel are deployed in the vulnerable farming areas on the hills and the valley, assisting central security forces in providing security to farming areas. Central forces have been redeployed in the vicinity of Phubala.

"Alert messages have been issued to all district superintendents of police from the police headquarters to immediately implement enhanced security protocols for ongoing cultivation activities," a government statement said. Senior police officers are visiting farming areas to oversee security arrangements. This includes the identification of vulnerable agricultural areas that may require increased security surveillance. "Flying squads and quick response teams have been set up in case of any need," the statement said.

Punjab pit bull owner held over porcupine killing

HARPREET BAJWA @ Chandigarh

THE owner of a pit bull has been arrested by the Punjab Police for using the dog, known for its keen sense of smell and strong muscular build, to illegally hunt porcupines, a protected animal species. The arrest follows the intervention of BJP MP and animal rights activist Maneka Gandhi.

Sources said he had been rearing pit bulls specifically for the illegal hunting of protected animal species and had uploaded videos of the acts on social networking sites just to gain views and attention.

After Gandhi wrote to Punjab Chief Wildlife Warden Dharminder Sharma via e-mail, the owner of the dog — identified as Ajay Kumar of Jansua village in Rajpura — was arrested by the state police. Two of his dogs, both of the boxer breed, were also taken into custody. Porcupines, listed under Schedule IV of the Indian Wildlife Protection Act, 1972, are protected species, and hunting or killing them is a punishable offence. Sharma warned, "Strict action will be taken against the alleged accused in the future, as field officers have been given clear instructions in this regard."

HC asks Mamata govt to file report on probe into law student rape case

KAUSHIK PRADHAN @ Kolkata

THE Calcutta High Court on Thursday directed the West Bengal Government to file a status report on the progress of the investigation into the alleged gang rape incident of a female student within the South Calcutta Law College premises at Kasba on June 25.

A division bench comprising Justice Soumen Sen and Justice Smita Das De stated that the Government must also produce the case diary of the investigation at the next hearing on July 10. The Court directed the college authorities to submit a copy of their constitution, along with an affidavit, at the next hearing. The Bench took note of the concern expressed in the petition over the "multiple, serious and unanswered questions which reflect deep-rooted institutional negligence and administrative apathy" anddirected the state government to address the concern in its report to be submitted to the Court.

In the hearing on Thursday, the victim's family said that they have faithin the investigation by the Kolkata Police's Special Investigation Team. Earlier, the victim's family had also refused a CBI investigation because they trusted the police investigation. The Kolkata Police's Detective Department has taken over the investigation ofthe incident from the SIT.

Advocate Kalyan Banerjee, representing the State, argued, "A woman police officer arrested the three accused within just three hours of the incident. Don't think the state police are incompetent."

The Bench told the counsels of the victim, who submitted to the Court that the victim was ready to cooperate with the SIT, that the Court would also hear them. The three accused in the case have been remanded to police custody until July 8.

Nainital HC sounds alarm over teen marriages, orders awareness drive

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

THE Uttarakhand High Court on Thursday expressed concern over a rising number of adolescents entering into marriages and subsequently seeking court protection, a trend it deems alarming and fraught with serious consequences, including potential charges under the POCSO Act.

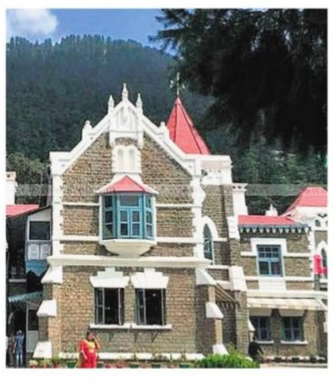
A division bench of Chief Justice G Narendar and Justice Alok Mehra directed Secretary, Child Rights Welfare, Chandresh Kumar to prepare and present a comprehensive plan within two weeks. The plan aims to raise awareness about the seriousness of the Pocso Act and address the growing issue of underage unions.

"This trend is alarming and needs attention," the bench observed during the hearing of one such case. The specific matter before the court involved a 19-year-old youth who, after marrying a girl of his age, sought court protection from her family.

While acknowledging the legal right to choose one's life partner, the court underscored that the growing tendency of marriages among minors makes it difficult for them to develop a sense of responsibility at such a young age.

The court highlighted grim scenarios where such marriages lead to severe repercussions. It pointed to instances where girls, later claimed by their parents to be minors, resulted in severe punishment for the young man, often leaving the married girl alone and vulnerable. "In many cases," the court observed, "the girl became a mother after marriage, only for the husband to be jailed under POCSO, or the couple separated after maturity, leaving the child destitute. Such situations also encourage other crimes."

To combat this worrying trend, the court instructed Secretary Kumar to draft a plan aimed at sensitising the public about the gravity of the POCSO Act. The court mandated that awareness programmes be implemented at the grassroots level through the education and rural development departments.



Over 40 families queue up to adopt 'Veer' in UP

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

MORE than 40 families are eager to adopt a newborn boy who was found in a bag in an AC coach of a train and is now recuperating after battling for life at a hospital in UP's Moradabad.

"After surviving extreme conditions of breathlessness while being inside a bag for almost 10 hours, the infant — now lovingly named Veer by the hospital staff— is showing signs of recovery," Moradabad district probation officer SP Gautam said. "Veer is not only the apple of every eye in the hospital where he is recuperating after fighting a brave battle for life, but he has also drawn a long queue of over 40 families eager to adopt him," Gautam said.

The newborn was found in a bag in the AC coach of the Patna-Chandigarh special train on June 22. He was rushed to the Special Newborn Care Unit (SNCU) at the Women's Hospital in Moradabad.

According to Dr Nirmala Pathak, Chief Medical Superintendent of the hospital, Veer was initially placed on CPAP (Continuous Positive Airway Pressure) due to severe breathing difficulties caused by oxygen deprivation. "He had been trapped in the bag for nearly 10 hours, which had led to hypoxia—a condition that could have been fatal had he not received timely medical care," she said.

Dr Pathak said the infant's respiratory rate was abnormally high and he was kept on CPAP support for 72 hours and was later shifted to standard oxygen support. "As his condition improved, oxygen support was gradually withdrawn, and he is now breathing independently," she added.

Veer is still facing difficulty in feeding and being nourished via IV drips. "First, he survived for hours in a bag, and then he fought for his life in the ICU. He truly deserves the name Veer (which means brave)," said a hospital staffer. Once Veer fully recovers, he will be handed over to Childline, a government-supported child welfare organisation.

Meanwhile, law enforcement authorities are looking for people who had abandoned the child. Railway Protection Force commandant Utkarsh Narayan said, "A SIM card was recovered from the bag in which the infant was found. Authorities are trying to locate the culprit via electronic surveillance."

Not an isolated case of kindness and adoption

The abandoned baby, Veer, was found in a bag in an AC coach of a train recently. He is recuperating at a hospital in UP's Moradabad. The newborn has drawn a long queue of over 40 families eager to adopt him his is not the first such case. In another case last year, an infant girl found in bushes in Mainather, was adopted by a Chennai-based doctor.

Search continues for those who dumped newborn

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PUBLIC NOTICE

We, the undersigned bring to the notice of the general public that our client **Mrs.Shobha G.w/o Ravi Kumar.** Residing at #1318 Near St Mark & # 39; School Kalyananagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560051. She has lost Original Sale Deeds Documents No. MDL-1-03553-2014-15 dated on 03-11-2014 she has lost at Peenya Industrial Area bus stop Accordingly she has lodged the complainant on Bengaluru city, Dated on 30-06-2025, with E-Lost report No.1678064/2025.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of bearing Site No.02, Katha No.21, Situated at Madavara Village, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Measuring East to West: 45 Feet and North to South : 20 Feet totally measuring 900 sq feet and bounded on **East by :** Site No. 3, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Other's Property, If anyone finding the aforesaid documents is hereby requested to handover the same to our office within 07 days at the address mentioned hereunder.

HARISHA S, Advocate
No.2,1st Floor Byranna Building.
Madanayakanahalli, Bengaluru-562162
Mobile No.9060950265

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public at Large that my Clients **Sri.J.Babu and Sri. Dinesh Babu,** Residents of BANGALORE, have entered into Registered Agreements of Sale dated 13-03-2023, registered as document No,INR-1-15908/2022-23, stored in CD No.INRD-1301, to purchase the Schedule Property from **Smt. Vinitha Kanakaraj @ Vinith.K.** The owner represents that apart from them there are no other person/s having any right, title or interest in respect of the Schedule Property in any manner. Further public at large informed that not deal any kind, in respect of schedule property with the above said owners.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM NO. 1: All that piece and parcel of the land bearing **Site No-61,** Property No.124/4, Khatha No.124/2, situated at **Murugeshapalya, Kodihalli Village Dhakale, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, earlier Bengaluru south Taluk,** now comes within BBMP limits, Measuring East to West: **60 Feet** and North to South **40 feet** in all measuring **2400 sq feet** bounded by. **East by-**Road, **West by-**Remaining portion of same property, **North by-**Private property and **South by-**Remaining property of same property.

Subramani, K.N, ADVOCATE,
No.30, "Kanaka Mandir", 1st Floor,
5th Main Road, Gandhinagar,
Bengaluru - 560 009.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BE IT KNOWN TO ALL THAT, our clients (1) **NOOR BUSHRA SAYEED**, wife of Dr.Baseer Ahmed Sayeed, permanent resident of # 2534 N, Plumthicket Ct. Wichita KS 67226, (2) **NOOR ZUBEIDA KHAN**, wife of Mr.Iftikhar Abrar Khan, permanent resident of # 1970, Fullerton Road, La Habra Heights, CA 90631, (3) **AZRA HAMEED @ AZRA KHALEEL**, wife of Mr.Nausheer Hameed, residing at No.27/2, Khaleel Manzil, R.V.Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore 560004 and (4) **NOOR HAJIRA KHALEEL @ NOOR HAJIRA FAHEEM**, wife of Mr.Asrar Faheem, permanent resident of # 2406, Greenwich Drive, Fuller Town Road, CA 92833, all daughters of late Mr.A.R.Khaleel are the joint lawful owners of the immovable property bearing Municipal Nos. 284 to 316 (Old Nos.831 to 843, together with the commercial building known and called as "KHALEEL BUILDING", situated at OTC Road, Chickpet in Corporation New Ward No.109-Chickpet, BANGALORE.

We hereby bring to the notice of general public that our Clients have lost / misplaced the following original documents and are unable to trace the same;

a. Document registered as No. 499/1871-72, dated 14.12.1871 in Book-I, Volume 10 at pages 354 to 355, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore City;
b. Document registered as No. 3512/1953-54, dated 23.12.1953 in Book-I, Volume 1309 at pages 219 to 225, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore City;
c. Document registered as No. 3230/1954-55, dated 17.01.1955 in Book-I, Volume 1379 at pages 156 to 160, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore;
d. Document registered as No. 389/1955-56, dated 02.05.1955 in Book-I, Volume 1400 at pages 241 to 242, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore City;

A Complaint / Lost Article Report has been filed with the Bangalore City Police with regard to the loss of the aforesaid original documents.

Any person/s, who has knowledge of the said original document and / or in whose hands the aforesaid original document may come, shall notify the undersigned and / or our Client at the addresses mentioned herein with regard to the aforesaid original document, at the earliest and not later than Seven (7) days from the date of this notice. In the event we or our Clients do not in any manner get any information about the aforesaid original documents within the time frame mentioned herein, our Clients shall act upon the Certified Copies of the aforesaid documents, as if, the same is the original.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is given to public at large that my client **M/s. Profectus Capital Pvt. Ltd.,** having its registered office at B/17, 4th Floor, Art Guild House, Behind Phoenix Marketcity Mall, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Kurla (West), Mumbai, 400070 (Lender / Mortgagee) intends to create mortgage on the land bearing Sy.no.31/2 situated at Marohalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District measuring 1 acre 06.08 guntas and adjacent property measuring 0.03 guntas of kharab land towards credit facility to **Manjesh Kumar** (Co-Borrower/ Mortgagor) **Sri Lakshmi Venkateshwara Industries** (Borrower) on the schedule property which was owned by **Sri.Anand Kumar.V.L, Sri.H.B.Prakash and Sri.P.B.Basavaraju through a Sale Deed, bearing Doc.No.4369/2023-24,** Book-I, dated 21-07-2023 in the office of Sub-registrar, Nelamangala.

The Mortgagor further confirmed, declared and assured to my client that the said property is not involved in any mortgage, lease, loan, surety, loss, succession, reservation, acquisition, requisition or otherwise howsoever and free from all encumbrance and have clean and marketable title and exclusive right to mortgage and deal with the said property.

Therefore any person(s) having any right, title, interest or claim in respect of said property or any part thereof by way of sale, gift, lease, inheritance, exchange, mortgage, charge, lien, trust, beneficial interest, possession, easement, tenancy, sub-tenancy, licence, hypothecation, maintenance, inheritance, power of attorney, order, decree, award attachment or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing together with supporting documents at undersigned address within 10 days from the date hereof, failing which my client will proceed to disburse the loan, without any reference to such claim and the same, if any, shall be considered deeded to have been waived and or abandoned.

SCHEDULE

Description of property with boundaries

All that piece and parcel of land bearing Sy.no.31/2 situated at Marohalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District measuring 1 acre 06.08 guntas and adjacent property measuring 0.03 guntas of kharab land, and bounded by;

East by : Land belonging to Lakshmana and Mayanna
West by : Land belonging to Thimmaiah
North by : Private property
South by : Land belonging to Lakkanna and Road.

I.M. DEVAIAH & ASSOCIATES,
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Place: Bangalore Date : 03.07.2025

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC., AT NELAMANGALA

C.Misc. No. 215/2025

PETITIONERS: 1. SRI. SARVESHA, S/o Late Chandrappa, aged about 56 years, And Six others, All are R/at Hanumanthapura village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District -V/s-

RESPONDENT: The Thasildar (Registrar of Births and Deaths Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioners No.1,2,4,5,6 & 7's Great Grandmother and Petitioner No.3's Great Father-in-law by name **RUDRAIAH,** S/o Late Rudraiah was died on 02.02.1958 at Hanumanthapura Village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The Hon'ble court has fixed on **28/08/2025** for hearing of the petition and that if any person's desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at **11:00 AM** Failing which the said applicstion will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 28/06/2025
By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge Junior Division and JMFC, Nelamangala
Advocate for Petitioner: **Sri. K.N. RAMEGOWDA**
No.221, Patil Complex, 1st Floor, 5th Shop, Sondekoppa Road, Nelamangala Town, Nelamangala- 562 123

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my Client intends to purchase Residential Vacant Site bearing No.40, PID No.6000012576, Property/Khatha No.RO/E/40/RAYASANDRA/13-14, measuring East to West 50 feet, North to South 30 feet, totally measuring 1500 Sq.Feet in the Layout known as **"PIONIER RESIDENCY"**, carved out of Converted Land bearing Sy.No.122 (Vide Official Memorandum bearing No. ALN(A)(SH) SR 183/2011-12, dated 06.06.2012 and Official Memorandum bearing No.ALN (ASH) SR 183/2011-12, dated 01.09.2012 both issued by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore & The Layout was approved by Bangalore Development Authority Vide BDA/TPM/PL-14/5171/2012-13, dated 17.12.2012) Situated at Rayasandra Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore and the Property is bounded on **East by:** Site No.36; **West by:** Road, **North by:** Site No.41, **South by:** Site No.39 from its present owner **Kumar Machenahalli Rajanna,** who claims he is the absolute owner and he has Purchased the same from Sri.V.Kiran and M/s.Pionier Developers which is registered bearing Doc.No. SRJ-1-06412/12-13, Book-I, CD No.SRJD119, dated 01.03.2013 in the office of Sub-registrar, Sarjapur. Hence If any person/s has any kind of charge, lien, adverse claim, any lease, Dispute or objections over the same, they are advised to contact me with all the documentary proof in support of the claim to the below mentioned address within Seven (07) Days from the date of this publication of notice, otherwise it will be construed that there are no charges or claims of whatsoever nature in respect of the aforesaid Schedule Property and my client will proceed for the purchase of the afore said Property

I.M. DEVAIAH & ASSOCIATES,
Advocates,
No.4, 1st floor, Opp: Seshadripuram Post office, Seshadripuram, Bangalore-560 020. (M) 9845105603
E-Mail: imdevaiah_advocate@yahoo.co.in
Place: Bangalore Date : 03.07.2025

IN THE COURT OF XXV ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-23)

OS. No. 6174/2023

BETWEEN :

M/s. BANK OF INDIA, A body corporate constituted under the Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970 and Having its Head office at 'Star House', C-5, G-block, Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (East), Mumbai-400051 and having a branch office at Somapura Branch and Zonal office at Bank of India Building, K.G. Road, Branch, Bengaluru. Represented by its Manager and Authorized Signatory Mrs. Bijayinee B, wife of Aroon Kumar Sahoo, Aged about 33 years, Email ID: **Somapura.karnataka@bankofindia.co.in** **...PLAINTIFF**

AND

Mrs. Rashmi N D/o Nagaraju, Aged about 29 years, Residing at. No. 21/3, H street, Mysore Road, New Guddadahalli, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560026. **...DEFENDANT**

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 OF CPC

Defendant:

Mrs. Rashmi N D/o Nagaraju, Aged about 29 years, Residing at No.21/3, H street, Mysore Road, New Guddadahalli, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560026.

Whereas the plaintiff above named has instituted the above suit for recovery of money for sum of **Rs.2,31,460.14** along with interest at the rate of 12% P.A. against you, and you are summoned to appear before the XXV Addl. City Civil & Sessions Judge at Bengaluru (C.C.H-23), in person or by a pleader, on the day of **21.07.2025 at 11:00 A.M** to answer the claim, failing to which the suit would be disposed of Ex-Parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on this **13th day of June, 2025 at Bangalore.**

By Order of the Court
Assistant Registrar
Hon'ble City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Advocate for Plaintiff
B.S. Jeevan Kumar,
Vidhii Partners, Advocates,
No. 701, Queens Corner 'A',
#3, Queens Road, Bengaluru-01.

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE, BENGALURU RURAL DISTRICT, BENGALURU

O.S. No.207/2023

BETWEEN: Mr. Mastan Sharieff @ Noorulla Sharieff & another ... **PLAINTIFFS**

AND: M/s S.P. Developers & 3 others ... **DEFENDANTS**

SUMMONS/NOTICE TO DEFENDANT No.4 :

Mr. NADEEM GHOUSE AHMED @ NADEEM SHARIFF, S/o late Dr. Omar Fakruddin Sheriff, Aged about 57 Years, No.11, First Floor, 23rd Main, Ramanna lane, J.P. Nagar 5th Phase, Bengaluru-560078.

Take Notice that the above named Plaintiffs have filed a suit for Mandatory Injunction, directing Defendants No.1 to 3 all the original title deeds pertaining to the below mentioned suit schedule properties

Hence, you are hereby directed to present before this Hon'ble Court on **25-07-2025** at 11:00 A.M., personally or through a pleader duly instructed by you, failing which the matter will be heard in your absence, placing you Ex-parte.

SCHEDULE " A " PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable residential converted Sy.No.13/2 (Re-Sy.No.39) converted from Agricultural to non-agricultural Residential purpose vide Order No.BDS/ALN(S)-SR (KT)-35/2004-05, Dtd.23-06-2004, issued by Spl. Deputy Commissioner (Rev.) Bangalore Dist., situated at Chudenapura Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk; presently coming under jurisdiction of BBMP; measuring 4-00 Acres; and bounded on : East by: Sy.No.34 & Sy.No.28; West by : Kengeri-Hemmigepura Road; North by : Sy.No.13 & 35; South by : Remaining Portion of same Sy.No.

SCHEDULE " B " PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable Residential converted Sy.No.13/3 (Re-Sy.No.39) converted from Agricultural to non-agricultural Residential purpose vide its Conversion Order No.BDS/ALN(S)/SR (KT)-34/2004-05, Dtd.23-06-2004, issued by Spl. Deputy Commissioner (Rev.) Bangalore Dist., situated at Chudenapura Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk; measuring 5-00 Acres; now coming with jurisdiction of BBMP; and bounded on : East by : Peer Saheb's land; West by : Hemmigepura Village Boundary & Road; North by : Nana Saheb's land & Remaining portion of Sy.No.13/2; South by : Govt, Cannel (Oni).

SCHEDULE " C " PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of undeveloped converted land (converted from Agricultural use to non-agricultural Residential purpose by means of Official Memorandum No.ALN-(S)/SR-(KEN)-139/2005-06, Dtd.20-10-2009, issued by Spl. Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist.), comprising composite property carved out of 2 Sy.Nos., viz., Sy.No.13/2 & Sy.No.13/3 (New-Sy.No.39) situated at Chudenapura Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk (now coming within jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike), totally measuring 01 Acre 11 Guntas; and bounded on : East by : Land in Sy.No.28, 42 & 32; West by : Hemmigepura Road; North by : Land in Sy.Nos.34, 35 & Govt. Land; South by : Land in Sy.No.29 & Road

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court on 03-07-2025.

By order of the court, Sheristedar, PRL civil Judge's Court, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore.

K.V. SATYESHA SIMHA, K. VENKATA
Advocates
No.1164, 3rd Cross, 18th B Main, J.P. Nagar, 2nd Phase, Bengaluru-560078.

Government of Karnataka
Karnataka Forest Department
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS, SIRSI DIVISION, SIRSI-581401.
(PHONE): 08384-226445, e_mail: dcfsirsi@gmail.com

No. A2/Tender/K-shore/CR06/2025-26 Date: 30.06.2025

Invitation for Tenderers for Forestry Works

(Through e-procurement Portal)

Sub: Inviting Notification for Tenderers for Forestry Works under World Bank Aided K-SHORE Project.

Notifications of invitation for Tenderers to participate in Afforestation and other Works under World Bank Aided K-SHORE Project in Sirsi Forest Division is called for in e-portal **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** The last date for submission is on or before **16.00 hours of 15-07-2025.** For more details please contact this office landline **Phone No: 08384 226445** in Working hours during working days.

Sd/-, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Sirsi Division, Sirsi.

DIPR/ADK/KSMCA/245/25-26 dt.02.07.2025

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
(www.kpwd.gov.in)

Office of the Executive Engineer, No.1, Buildings Division, S.J.P. Campus, Bangalore. **Telephone No.** 22255210, **Fax**: 22250755, **Email ID:** eebld1@yahoo.com

IFT No.: EE/Bld1/AE-1/2025-26/18 Date : 24.06.2025

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER (IFT)

1. The Executive Engineer No 1, Buildings Division, Bangalore invites tenders from eligible tenderers, for Selection of Consultant for feasibility study and Transaction Advisory Services for Development of Twin Tower at Land Parcel situated at NH Compound, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore. TENDER REFERENCE: PWD/2023-24/SE0103/Call-2 The tenderers have to submit the tender through e-procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka **(viz http://kppp. karnataka.gov.in).** (Standard Tender Document KC-4), **Earnest Money Deposit (in Rs.)** : **4,86,000/-**, Period of Completion : **12 Months**. Download online KPPP e-procurement portal Date : **09-07-2025 up to 16.00 hours**. Tenders must be submitted online through e-procurement portal from **24-06-2025** to before **16.00 hours on 09-07-2025** and the opening of tenders will be as per the e-procurement portal guidelines.

For more information contact KPPPWebsite **http://kppp. karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/-
Executive Engineer

DIPR/CP/1614/NR/2025-26

S. E. RAILWAY – TENDER

Divisional Railway Manager/Engg., Chakradharpur acting For & On behalf of The President of India invites E-Tenders against Open Tender. Manual offers are not allowed against this tender, and any such manual offer received shall be ignored. **Sl. No., Tender Notice No. & Name of work** are as follows : **1. CKP-CENTRAL-25-26-26.** Construction of various capacity of RCC over head tank at various locations under the jurisdiction of Sr. DEN/Central/CKP in Chakradharpur Division. **Tender Value :** ₹ 10,21,68,334.39. **EMD :** ₹ 6,60,900/-. **2. CKP-WEST-25-26-17.** Construction of various capacity of RCC over head tank at various locations under the jurisdiction of Sr. DEN/West/CKP in Chakradharpur Division. **Tender Value :** ₹ 24,67,47,926.52. **EMD :** ₹ 13,83,700/-. **3. CKP-EAST-25-26-18.** Construction of various capacity of RCC over head tank at various locations under the jurisdiction of Sr. DEN (East)/CKP in Chakradharpur Division. **Tender Value:** ₹ 10,07,27,518.70. **EMD :** ₹ 6,53,600/-. **4. CKP-SOUTH-25-26-09.** Construction of various capacity of RCC over head tank at various locations under the jurisdiction of Sr. DEN/South/CKP in Chakradharpur Division. **Tender Value:** ₹ 11,16,34,125.72. **EMD :** ₹ 7,08,200/-. **Cost of Tender form :** ₹ 0 for each. **Date of opening :** 21.07.2025 for Sl. No. 1, 2 & 3 each and 22.07.2025 for Sl. No. 4. The tender can be viewed at Website **http://www.ireps.gov.in** The tenderer/bidders must have Class-III Digital Signature Certificate & must be registered under on IREPS Portal. Only registered tenderer/bidder can participate on e-tendering. All relevant paper must be uploaded at the time of participating in e-tendering. **Note :** e-Tender Forms shall be issued free of cost to all tenderers. (Authority-Rly. Bd.'s letter No. 2020/CE-I /CT/3E/GCC/Policy dtd. 16.07.2020).

(PR-352)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public are hereby informed that our client, 1.Smt. Sudha W/o Late C.M Venkatesh Murthy, Aged about 53 years, Aadhar No.8173 1576 6026, 2. Sri C.V.Ashok, S/o Late C.M Venkatesh Murthy, Aged about 34 years, Aadhar No.9580 1164 3072, 3. Smt. Chaithra W/o C.V, Ashok, Aged about 23 years, Aadhar No.5108 9935 7772, 4. Miss. Charvika D/o C.V Ashok, Aged about 5 years Rep by her father and natural guardian Sri C.V.Ashok, 5. Sri C.V.Sudhir S/o Late C.M Venkatesh Murthy, Aged about 32 years, Aadhar No.2934 8824 0991 All are Residing at Marasanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Chikkaballapura Taluk and District.,, has revoked the General Power of Attorney[GPA] dated 27/11/2024 given to 1. Sri. Mahanthesha Kestur Adaviswamy, S/o Adaviswamy, Aged about 46 years, Residing at No 4, Kaushish Nilaya, Kogilu Main Road, Behind Presidency P U College, Lakshmi Ganapathi Nagara, Kogilu, Bangalore 560064, Aadhar No.8209 7860 6837, 2. Smt .Preethi Reddy, W/o T.N. Sudhakara Reddy, Aged about 39 years, Residing at No 25, Halcyon Defence Enclave, Sathanur Village, Bagalur Main Road, Bangalore North, Bangalore 562149, Aadhar No.6492 0992 6011 vide registered document on 27-11-2024 as Doc. No.GDB-4-00047/2024-25, Book-IV at the office of Sub-Registrar, Chikkaballapura (Gudibande), Chikkaballapura in respect of the schedule property mentioned below. Earlier, when our client was at the verge of not to appear before the concern authorities had given the said GPA registered as Doc.No. GDB-4-00047/2024-25, Book-IV at the office of Sub-Registrar, Chikkaballapura (Gudibande), Chikkaballapura and now our client back in Chikkaballapura from their personal work, hence revoked the said GPA dt.27/10/2024. Whoever deals with Sri. Mahanthesha Kestur Adaviswamy, S/o Adaviswamy, and Smt. Preethi Reddy, W/o T.N Sudhakara Reddy in any manner of whatsoever nature or any transaction including sale/agreement/court cases in respect of schedule property, the same is not binding on our client as the said GPA already cancelled. If anyone deals with such attorney holder so, it is on their own risk and cost. Our client is not either whole or a part to this transaction. Whoever deals with same, it is of their own costs and risk.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM No.1: All that part and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Survey No 66/1 (old No 66) measuring 10 acres situated at Kachakaditha Village, Mandikallu Hobli Chikkaballapura Takuk and bounded on: **East by:** Land bearing Sy No 65, 63, Block -1 of Sy No 66/1, **West by:** Land measuring 3 acres in Sy No 66/4, belonging to the vendor and Lake, **North by:** Land bearing Sy No 24,and Block -1 of Sy No 66/1. **South by:** Sadenahalli Village boundary, and Block -1 of Sy No 66/1

ITEM No. 2: All that part and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Survey No 66/1 (old No 66) measuring 3 acres situated at Kachakaditha Village, Mandikallu Hobli Chikkaballapura Takuk and bounded on: **East by:** Land bearing Sy No 65, 63 Block -1, **West by:** Lake, **North by:** Land bearing Sy No 66/3, and Sy No 66/2, **South by:** Sadenahalli Village boundary, and Block -1

SRI. M. ARUNKUMAR, Advocates
CHINMAYE LAW ASSOCIATE
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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT MANGALURU DIVISION MANGALURU

Ref :PWD:MD:TND:(15E): 2025-26:JE-1: Dated: 01.07.2025

SHORT TERM E-TENDER NOTIFICATION/ TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Karnataka Public E-Procurement Portal)

The Executive Engineer, PWD, Divn. Mangaluru Inviting Tender under K.P.P Portal **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in** from eligible Tenderers in accordance with KTPP Act Indent No: 15545 **Under the Head Of Account: 4059-80-051-0-29-386 Departmental Buildings** and Indent No: 22291 **under the Head of Account: 8443 Deposit contribution. The Last date for reciept of tender: 18.07.2025 upto 16.00 Hours.**

In the above work lowest cost of estimate is Rs.88.00 Lakhs & highest cost of estimate is Rs. 300.00 Lakhs. Any Change in dates of events and value of work put to tender and EMD amount etc only can been seen from KPP-portal **www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer

DIPR/MNG/KSMCA/414/25-26 dt.03.07.2025

OREDA LIMITED

(Under the Department of Energy Government of Odisha)
(CIN No: U35105OD2024SGC045786)
(ISO 9001 :2008/ ISO 14001 :2004)
S/59, MANCHESWAR INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, BHUBANESWAR-751010, ODISHA
Website: www.oredaodisha.com E-mail: ceoreda@oredaorissa.com

e-Tender Call Notice

Notice No: 2941 / OREDA Ltd. Date: 26.06.2025
PD-152/2024

CAD-965: Request for Empanelment (RfE) is invited through e-tender portal from eligible bidders for Engagement of Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) for supply of Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Modules and Module Mounting Structure.

1	Date of publication of RFE on E-procurement website and OREDA website	26.06.2025
2	Due date of pre bid query submission as per format of NIT	04.07.2025, Time: 5.00 PM
3.	Due date and time for submission of online copy of Technical Bid.	14.07.2025, Time: 5:00 PM
4.	Due date and time for submission of hard copies of Technical Bid for select Bid Forms only	16.07.2025, Time: 5:00 PM
5.	Tentative date and time for the opening of Technical Bid for both online copies and hard copies.	17.07.2025, Time: 3:00 PM

Details can be seen from the website **www.tenderwizard.com/OREDA** or www.oredaorissa.com. Further corrigendum, if any, will be uploaded in these websites only.

OIPR: 04065/11/0047/2526 Sd/- Chief Executive Officer

STATE BANK OF INDIA

RACPC, Shankarapuram (64063)
NO. 13/1, 3rd Floor, BULL TEMPLE ROAD, OPP. SRI RAMA KRISHNA ASHRAMA, BASAVANAGUDI, BANGALORE -560 004, Tel: 080 -25943006
Email : support.shankarpuram@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

A/c No. HL 42562260569

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India, RACPC Shankarapuram, Bengaluru** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **28.02.2025** calling upon the borrower : **1) Sri. Mohammed Javeed Ahmed** S/o. Sri. Mohammed Ibrahim, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 1,58,33,824/-** (Rupees One Crore Fifty Eight Lakh Thirty Three Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty Four Only) as on 27.02.2025. You are also liable to pay further interest from 28.02.2025 together with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower/mortgager having failed to repay the amount as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgager and the public in general that the undersigned, being the Authorised Officer of the **State Bank of India, RACPC Shankarapuram, Bengaluru** has taken possession of the property, in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules 2002, on **02.07.2025.**

The borrower/mortgager in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs. 1,63,28,512/-** (Rupees One Crore Sixty Three Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand Five Hundred Twelve Only) as on 29.06.2025 and further interest at contractual rate from 30.06.2025 with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, thereon.

The borrower/mortgager's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Schedule 'A' Property : All that piece and parcel of vacant land bearing Sy No.31/1, now bearing BBMP Municipal No.147, Bhattarahalli, measuring 1 Acre 08 guntas, equivalent to 52,272 Sq.feet, situated at Bhattarahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore and **bounded as follows: East by :** Remaining portion of the land in Sy No.31/1 belonging to Kantha.D Patel, **West by :** Road, **North by :** Remaining land in Sy No. 31/1 belonging to Keshavalal Madhav G Patel, **South by :** Road.

Schedule 'B' Property : 605.13 Sq.feet of undivided share right, title and interest in the land bearing Sy No. 31/1, now bearing BBMP Municipal No. 147, situated at Bhattarahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, measuring 1 Acre 08 guntas, equivalent to 52,272 Sq.feet (4,858 Sq.mtrs)

Schedule 'C' Property : Residential Apartment bearing No.805, comprising of 3 BHK situated on the Seventh Floor of "HEBRON TOWERS", to be constructed on the schedule A property with a super built up area of 1,827 Sq.feet (169.73 Sq.mtrs) with right to use one no. earmarked covered car parking space, standing in the name of Sri. Mohammed Javeed Ahmed S/o. Sri. Mohammed Ibrahim and the apartment is **bounded on : East by :** Flat No.806, **West by :** Drive way/ Open space, **North by :** Flat No. 804, **South by :** Drive way.

Date : 02.07.2025
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India,
RACPC Shankarapuram, Bengaluru.

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The following borrower(s) has/have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest towards the Loan facility(ies) availed from ICICI Bank. The Loan(s) has/have been classified as Non-Performing Asset(s) (NPA).

A Notice was issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, at their last known addresses. However, it has not been served and are therefore being notified by way of this Public Notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be enforced	Date of Notice sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	D Venkata Kishore/ Dogiparthi Sowjanya/ Flat No 1005 Mont Titlis Block Alpine Eco Apts Karthik Nagar Doddenkundi Extn Bangalore Bangalore-560037/ LBBNG00003179464/ LBBNG00003179465	Schedule 'A' Property All That Piece And Parcel of Portion of Residentially Converted Land Bearing Sy No.13 (Converted Vide official Memorandum Dated 17.09.2004 Bearing No.Bds: Aln:S.R.(E)103/2004-05 Issued By The office of Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore), Doddarnekundi Village, Kr Puran Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Within The Jurisdiction of Cmc, Mahadevapura, Ward No.29, Presently In Bbmp Limits, Bangalore Measuring An Extent of 2 Acres 20 Guntas out of 7 Acres 24 Guntas And Bounded As Follows: East By: Ramaiah Reddy's Land West By: Remaining Portion of Sy.No.13 North By: Remaining Portion of Sy. No.13 South By: Road Schedule 'B' Property An Extent of 857/108900 of Undivided Right, Title And Interest In Land Comprised In The Schedule 'A' Property Equivalent To 857 Sq. Ft.. Schedule 'C' Property All That Piece And Parcel of Apartment No1005 on The Tenth Floor, Mont Titlis Block of The Multi-Storied Building Known As "Alpine Eco" Constructed And Erected on The Schedule 'A' Property I.e., Portion of Residentially Converted Land Bearing Sy No.13, Doddanekundi Village, Ferncity Main Road, Alpine Avenue, Kr Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, The Bbmp New Municipal Number 627/R.T.F/1005, (old Municipal No.R.T.F/1005), Ward No.29, Presently In Bbmp Limits, Bangalore With Details And other Attributes Given Hereunder: Super Built-up Area : 3214 Sq.ft., Vitrified Tiles Flooring, Sal Wood Doors, Aluminium Windows Including Proportionate Share of Common Areas Attributable Thereto A Share In The Area of The Club House And Limited Access To Terrace Area, L.E., From The Lift Room To The Water Tank For The Purpose of Repairs, And Along With Two Covered Car Parking Space.	05.05.2025 Rs. 87,22,962.80/-	06-03-2025
2.	Shaharukh Hasan Nadaf/ Sajeed Hasan Nadaf/ Siemens Technology And Service Pvt Ltd Salarpuria Infozone Electronic City Velankani Drive Bangalore- 560100/ LBBNG00004634631	Schedule 'A' Property: (Composite Property) All The Piece And Parcel of The Converted Property Bearing Sy.No.53/1 Measuring 3 Acres 07 Guntas, Sy.No.53/2 Measuring 3 Acres 04 Guntas, Sy.No.54/1 Measuring 35 Guntas, Sy.No.54/2 Measuring 32 Guntas, Sy.No.54/3 Measuring 32 Guntas, Sy.No.54/4 Measuring 32 Guntas And Sy.No.54/5 Measuring 32 Guntas, In All Admeasuring 10 Acres 14 Guntas, Situated At Maragondanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Rural District And Bounded As: on The East: Property In Sy.No.49 And Sy.No.50, on The West: Property In Sy.No.55, on The North: Property In Sy.No.52 And Sy.No.56, on The South: Property In Sy.No. 155/9.: Schedule 'B' Property: (Undivided Interest Agreed To Be Sold) 165 Sq. Ft of Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest And ownership In Schedule 'A' Property.: Schedule 'C' Property: (Apartment/Flat Agreed To Be Constructed) A 2 BHK, Residential Apartment Bearing Flat No.B1-02-01 on The Second Floor of The Block 'B1', In The Project Known As "Gm Ambitious Enclave" Being Built In Schedule 'A' Property And Apartment Having 825 Sq. Feet of Super Built Up Area Which Consisting of 536 Sq. Ft of Carpet Area And Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such As Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircases And other Areas of Common Use Along With one Covered Car Parking Space In The Basement/Stilt/Ground Level.	06.05.2025 Rs. 25,23,061.00/-	06-03-2025
3.	Sandhya Choudhary/ Rajeev Choudhary/ Net Zone 731 M R Complex 14th Main Road Kumaraswamy Layout Near Police Station Bangalore-560078/ LBBNG00004840035/ LBBNG00004913553	Schedule A Property (Description of The Entire Land Area) Item No.1 All That Piece And Parcel of The Converted Land Measuring 1.00 Acre (one Acre) Converted Vide official Memorandum Bearing No. B.Dis.Aln. (S)Sr(K.T)64/2004-2005 Dated 15-7-2004 of The Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore

50
year sentence handed to Croatian for shooting spree

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • LS: Light Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	26	11	LC	Los Angeles	17	10	SNY
Colombo	32	25	TDS	Melbourne	18	13	LC
Dhaka	34	27	LC	Moscow	5	0	LC
Dubai	42	31	SNY	New York	14	6	LR
Houston	30	22	LC	Singapore	31	25	TDS
Istanbul	34	28	LR	Toronto	8	1	LC
London	32	25	SNY	Washington	23	8	TDS

Donald Trump is close to victory on flagship tax bill

WASHINGTON

US lawmakers teed up a final vote on Donald Trump's marquee tax and spending bill for Thursday morning after bruising Republican infighting nearly derailed the centerpiece of the president's domestic agenda.

Almost 24 hours after debate began, Trump appeared close to victory as Congress edged towards passing his "One Big Beautiful Bill," despite misgivings in his party over a text that would balloon the national debt while launching a historic assault on the social safety net.

The bill would be a major landmark in Trump's political life, sealing his vision of US domestic policy into law -- and coming after he scored recent wins including in the Supreme Court and with US strikes that led to a ceasefire between Israel and Iran. Speaker Mike Johnson struggled through the night to corral his rank-and-file Republican members after the package scraped through a series of "test" votes in the House of Representatives that laid bare deep divisions in the party.

It was on course for a final vote that would put it on Trump's desk to be signed into law after passing its last procedural hurdle in the early hours of Thursday. "We feel very good about where we are and we're moving forward," an upbeat Johnson told reporters at the Capitol.

"So we're going to deliver the Big, Beautiful Bill -- the president's 'America First' agenda -- and we're going to do right by the American people."

The timetable could slip however as Democratic minority leader Hakeem Jeffries continued a long speech opposing the bill that delayed proceedings by several hours.

Originally approved by the House in May, Trump's sprawling legislation squeezed through the Senate on Tuesday but had to return to the lower chamber for a rubber stamp of the senators' revisions.The package honors many of Trump's campaign promises, boosting military spending, funding a mass migrant deportation drive and committing $4.5 trillion to extend his first-term tax relief. The 869-page text only passed in the Senate after a flurry of tweaks that pulled the House-passed version further to the right. It offsets its tax relief with around $1 trillion in health care cuts, and some estimates put the total number of recipients set to lose their insurance coverage under the bill at 17 million. "This reckless Republican budget is not about improving the quality of life of the American people," Jeffries said. *AFP*

Democrats stand united in opposition

WASHINGTON: Democrats unified against the bill as a tax giveaway to the rich paid for on the backs of the most vulnerable in society, what they called "trickle down cruelty." "Have you no shame?" said Rep. Rosa DeLauro of Connecticut, the top Democrat on the Appropriations Committee. Republicans have struggled with the bill nearly every step of the way in the House and Senate. The slim 220-212 majority in the House leaves Republicans no room for defections.

House minority leader Hakeem Jeffries walks with House minority whip Katherine Clark for a press conference outside the Capitol in Washington on Thursday | AP

Russia will not give up aims in Ukraine, Putin tells Trump

MOSCOW

RUSSIA'S President Vladimir Putin told US counterpart Donald Trump that Moscow will not "give up" on its aims in Ukraine, while pledging it will also keep up a negotiating process on the conflict, the Kremlin said Thursday after a call between the leaders.

"Our president said that Russia will achieve the aims it set, that is to say the root causes that led to the current state of affairs," Kremlin aide Yuri Ushakov told reporters. "Russia will not give up on these aims."

"He also spoke of the readiness of the Russian side to continue the negotiation process," Ushakov added, saying the call lasted almost an hour.

The much-awaited phone call between Trump and Putin began at 10 am EDT. Neither leader offered any immediate details on the topic.

Their previous publicly known call came June 14, a day after Israel attacked Iran. Their resumed contacts appeared to reflect both leaders' interest in mending US-Russian ties that have plummeted to their lowest point since the Cold War amid the 3-year-old conflict in Ukraine.Trump confirmed the call on Truth Social.

The two leaders have praised each other in recent weeks, despite Moscow's ongoing assault on Ukraine.

Putin said last week that he had "great respect" for Trump and that US ties were improving. Trump said Putin's statements were "very nice".

Thursday's call follows the Pentagon's confirmation that it's pausing shipment of some weapons to Ukraine as it goes about a global review of U.S. military stockpiles. The weapons being held up for Ukraine include air defense missiles, precision-guided artillery and other equipment. *AP/AFP*

We remain committed to nuclear treaty, says Iran

A file photo of Iran's Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi at the funeral of Revolutionary Guards | AFP

TEHRAN

IRAN on Thursday affirmed its commitment to the nuclear non-proliferation treaty, as it accused Germany of "malice" over its criticism of Tehran's decision to suspend cooperation with the UN nuclear watchdog.

"Iran remains committed to the NPT (Non-Proliferation Treaty) and its Safeguards Agreement," Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi said in a post on X.

"The explicit German support for the bombing of Iran has obliterated the notion that the German regime harbors anything but malice towards Iranians," he added in response to a German foreign office post criticising the move. On Wednesday, Iran officially suspended its cooperation with the International Atomic Energy Agency, citing the agency's failure to condemn Israeli and US strikes on Iranian nuclear sites. In a post on X, Germany's foreign office called on Iran to "reverse this decision," saying it sends a "devastating message." "It eliminates any possibility of international oversight of the Iranian nuclear program, which is crucial for a diplomatic solution," it added. Araghchi lambasted what he called Germany's "explicit support for Israel's unlawful attack on Iran" on June 13, killing top Iranian military commanders and nuclear scientists.

On June 17, German Chancellor Friedrich Merz said Israel was doing the "dirty work... for all of us" by targeting Iran's nuclear infrastructure. The 12-day war between Iran and Israel saw led to 900 deaths in Iran. *AFP*

94 killed in Gaza, including 45 waiting for food

GAZA STRIP

AIRSTRIKES and shootings killed 94 Palestinians in Gaza overnight, including 45 who were attempting to get much-needed humanitarian aid, hospitals and the Health Ministry said Thursday.

Israel's military did not immediately comment on the strikes.

Five people were killed while outside sites associated with the Gaza Humanitarian Foundation, the newly-created, secretive American organization backed by Israel to feed the Gaza Strip's population, while 40 others were killed waiting for aid in other locations across the Gaza Strip.

On Thursday, human rights organization Amnesty International issued a report claiming Israel and the GHF have "militarized" the aid distribution system as a starvation tactic against Palestinians.

"Israel has continued to use starvation of civilians as a weapon of war against Palestinians in the occupied Gaza Strip and to deliberately impose conditions of life calculated to bring about their physical destruction as part of its ongoing genocide," the report said.

The organization had previously accused Israel of committing genocide in a report last December. Israel has adamantly rejected the allegations, and is challenging such claims at the International Court of Justice.

Dozens of people were killed in airstrikes that pounded the Strip Wednesday night and Thursday morning, including 15 people killed in strikes that hit tents in the sprawling Muwasi zone, where many displaced Palestinians are sheltering. A separate strike on a school in Gaza City sheltering displaced people also killed 15 people.

Gaza's Health Ministry said the number of Palestinians killed in Gaza has passed 57,000 since the war began on Oct 7, 2023. *AP*

Palestinians survey the destruction at a school used as a shelter after it was struck by an Israeli airstrike in Gaza City on Thursday | AP

In a first, Kurdish fighters in parts of north Iraq to hand over weapons

IRBIL, IRAQ

A file photo of youngsters with a photograph of Abdullah Ocalan, the jailed leader of the militant Kurdish group PKK in Diyarbakir, Turkey | AP

A Kurdish militant group that has waged a long-running insurgency in Turkey announced on Thursday its fighters in northern Iraq will begin handing over their weapons, marking the first concrete step towards disarmament as part of a peace process.

The Kurdistan Workers' Party, or PKK, announced in May it would disband and renounce armed conflict, ending four decades of hostilities. The move came after PKK leader Abdullah Ocalan, who has been imprisoned on an island near Istanbul since 1999, urged his group in February to convene a congress and formally disband and disarm.

Ocalan, 76, continues to wield significant influence in the Kurdish movement despite his 25-year imprisonment. His call to end the fighting marked a pivotal step toward ending the decades-long conflict that has claimed tens of thousands of lives since the 1980s. In the latest development, "a group of guerrilla fighters will come down from the mountains and will bid farewell to their arms in an effort to declare their good will for peace and democratic politics," the PKK said in a statement Thursday. The disarmament is expected to take place between July 10 and July 12 in Sulaymaniyah in northern Iraq's semi-autonomous Kurdish region.

Zagros Hiwa, a PKK spokesperson, said the fighters will destroy their weapons "under supervision of civil society institutions and interested parties." For PKK to take further steps toward disarmament, he said "the regime of isolation" imposed on Öcalan in prison "has to be abolished" and "constitutional, legal and political" must be taken. Turkey didn't respond immediately. *AP*

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC., AT NELAMANGALA

C.Misc. No. 214/2025

PETITIONERS: 1. SRI. SARVESHA, S/o Late Chandrappa, aged about 56 years, And Six others, All are R/at Hanumanthapura village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District

RESPONDENT: The Thasildar (Registrar of Births and Deaths Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioners No.1,2,4,5,6 & 7's Grandmother and Petitioner No.3's Mother-in-law by name **RUDRAMMA,** W/o Late Kidiyappa was died on 12.10.1998 at Hanumanthapura Village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The Hon'ble court has fixed on **28/08/2025** for hearing of the petition and that if any person's desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at **11:00 AM** Failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court on this 28/06/2025

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Court of the Civil Judge Junior Division and JMFC, Nelamangala

Advocate for Petitioner: **Sri. K.N. RAMEGOWDA**
No.221, Patil Complex, 1st Floor, 5th Shop, Sondekoppa Road, Nelamangala Town, Nelamangala- 562 123

IN THE HON'BLE COURT OF THE CIVIL JUDGE & JMFC., AT NELAMANGALA

C.Misc. No. 216/2025

PETITIONERS: 1. SRI. SARVESHA, S/o Late Chandrappa, aged about 56 years, And Six others, All are R/at Hanumanthapura village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District -V/s-

RESPONDENT: The Thasildar (Registrar of Births and Deaths Nelamangala Taluk, Nelamangala.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner above named has presented petition to this Hon'ble court under section 13(3) of Registration of Birth and Deaths Act 1969 for order direct the respondent authority to get enter the date of death of petitioners No.1,2,4,5,6 & 7's Great Grandmother and Petitioner No.3's Great Mother-in-law by name **SIDDAMMA,** W/o Late Rudraiah was died on 02.08.1965 at Hanumanthapura Village, Sompura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The Hon'ble court has fixed on **28/08/2025** for hearing of the petition and that if any person's desire to oppose the said petition or claim or interest shall appear before the Hon'ble court in person or by pleader duly instructed at **11:00 AM** Failing which the said application will be heard and determined as exparte.

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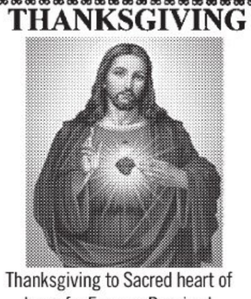

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Open E-Tender Enq.No. 640/P-3/EMP-W-13062 **Dated 02.07.2025**

Dy.Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-3) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites **E-Tender ID No. ID: 2025_POWER_143832_1** for Annual overhauling of Coal Pipe for 3 no. units of 210 MW capacity at GGSSTP, Ropar. (through e-tendering). For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **02.07.2025 / 5.00 PM** onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಸಾಆಹೊ/ಟೆಂಡರು/ಪಥ್ಯಾಹಾರ/192/2025–26 ದಿನಾಂಕ:30–06–2025

E-Tender Announcement

E-tenders are invited through e-procurement in two-envelope format for the supply of cooked vegetarian food, and good quality bread supplies at Government General Hospital, Hosapete for the year 2025-26. Interested and eligible tenderers are requested to submit their tenders through the e-procurement platform within the stipulated time.

Diet-Stn e-Tender No.: **GHH/TENDER/DIET/192/2025-26.** Supply of Diet/Bread/ e-Tender No.: **DHFWS/2025-26/IND1678.** Commencement of downloading of e-tender forms from website http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in: **Date 01/07/2025 To 30/07/2025.** Last Date for seeking clarification if any: **Dtaed 30/07/2025 Evining Till @ 4-30 PM.** Last date for uploading of Tender in http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in: platform: **Dtaed 30/07/2025 Evining Till @ 4-30 PM.** Date, Time & Venue of Opening of Tenders: **Opening Dated on 01/08/2025 And Opened through E-Procurement @ Office of the Surgeon, Govt. General Hospital Hospet Vijayanagara Dist. @ 4-30 PM.** EMD for supply of DIET: **Rs.2,20,000=00.** EMD for supply of Bread: **Rs.18.750=00**

Tenderers registered in e-procurement are requested to contact the undersigned on the Karnataka Government's e-procurement portal website http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in for details of tender ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಅಥವಾ ಕಛೇರಿಯ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ processing fee, EMD, tender form etc.

Sd/- Surgeon, Government General Hospital, Hospet.

DIPR/Vijayanagar/2025-26/KSMCA/RO No/129

DIRECTORATE OF MINORITIES
Maulana Azad Bhavan, No.16C, Miller Tank Bund Road, Vasantnagar, Bengaluru - 560 052.

No: DOM/DEVP/Infra-MK/CR-115/2024-25 **Date: 03.07.2025**

Announcement of Tender

Tender has been invited by the Directorate of Minorities for Installation of modular kitchen equipments in various Residential schools and colleges under the Department of Minority Welfare for the academic year 2025-26.Interested bidders should apply through online mode under e-Procurement Portal. Details are given below.

Sl. No.	Details	Date/Time
1.	Date of Tender Publication	**04.07.2025**
2.	Tender Amount:	**Rs. 995.00 Lakhs.**
3.	EMD Amount:	**Rs.14,92,500/-**
4.	Pre-bid meeting:	**11.07.2025 at 11:30 a.m.**
5.	Last date and time for submission of tender:	**04.08.2025 by 5:30 p.m.**
6.	Date and time of Technical bid opening:	**06.08.2025 at 11:30 a.m.**
7.	Date and time of Financial bid opening:	**11.08.2025 at 11:30 a.m.**
8.	Place of tender opening and contact address:	Maulana Azad Bhawan, No.16C, Miller tank Bed Road, Vasantnagar, Bengaluru - 560052.
9.	Telephone No. to be contacted	**080-22535902/ 080-22535918.**

Other details can be obtained from the website of the Directorate of Minorities **https://dom.karnataka.gov.in** and e-Procurement website at **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Director
Directorate of Minorities, Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/1617/25-26

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE COMMERCIAL COURT (CCH-84), AT BENGALURU

COM.S. NO.488/2025

BETWEEN : 01. M/s M H INVESTMENTS
A Partnership firm having Its office at No.010, Flat No.10, Flat No 302, 3rd Floor, Arihanth Platinum Apartments Govindappa Street, Kumara Park (West) Opposite Seshadripuram Law College, Bengaluru-560020 Represented by its Partners Plaintiff No. 2 & 3 Mrs. Mita.H.Sanghvi & Mr. Hiren S Sanghvi
02. MRS. MITA.H. SANGHAVI W/o Mr Hiren N Sanghavi Aged about 59 Years
03. MR. HIREN N SANGHAVI S/o Navnitrai K Sanghavi Aged about 62 Years ...PLAINTIFFS
AND : 01. MAARA GRANITES PRIVATE LIMITED Having its office at No.105, Embassy Centre No.1, 1st Floor Crescent Road, Kumara Park East Bengaluru-560001 Also at No. 39 3rd Floor, MH Tower, Railway Parallel Road 4th Block, Nehru Nagar Seshadripuram Bengaluru-560020
Represented by its Managing/Authorized signatory Deferidant No 2 & 3 Mr. H.B Manjuantha Mr. Arshith M
02. MR. H.B MANJUNATHA S/o Mr. H.R Balasubramanya Aged about 52 Years
03. MR. ASHRITH M S/o Mr. Manjuantha Aged about 25 Years SL.No 2 & 3 are residing at R/at No 27, 1st Main Chikkagulapa Layout Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru North Taluk-560043 ...DEFENDANTS

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas, the above named persons has instituted the above suit against Maara Granites Pvt Ltd and Others in the LXXXIII Addl. City Civil & Sessions Judge (CCH-84), Commercial Court at Bengaluru seeking to evict the defendants from the schedule Property and damages for Illegal Occupation of the schedule Property, Whereas the Defendants are hereby called upon to appear before this Court either in person or through a pleader duly instructed **on 31/7/25 at 11 AM** to show cause against the Plaintiffs failing which the above suit will be heard in your absence by considering the Defendants as ex-parte.

SCHEDULE-A

All the piece and Parcel of property bearing Municipal No 39, 40, 41 and 42, New Municipal No 39, BBMP PID No 27-77-39 New E-PID No 4216689767 situated at Railway Parallel Road, (Kumara Park West) Bengaluru, measuring East to west 60 feet and North to South 40 feet in total 2400 Sq.ft Consisting of RCC roofed building measuring 3601.9 Sq.ft bounded as follows:
East by : Road, **West by :** Private property,
North by : Private Property, **South by :** Private Property,

SCHEDULE-B
(Demised premises herein)

All that piece and parcel of the entire Third Floor in the building consisted of part of (Schedule-A) having 1852 Square feet of Super Built-Up area Consisting of one toilet and One Pantry, including passage and provided with Fifteen (15) KVA HP Power connection bearing R.R No.C2L7475, constructed on the schedule-A property.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on this 2nd day of July 2025.

By Order of the Court
Sd/-Senior Sheristedar
Commercial Court Unit
City Civil Court, Bangalore

ADVOCATE FOR PLAINTIFFS ARUN. D.S.
Mob: 8867314737

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that my clients **Sri.Kuldeep Solanki,** S/o Sri.J.P.Solanki, Presently residing at Flat No.1143, 14th Floor, Prestige Gulmohar Apartment, Jayanthi Nagar, Horamavu, Benagluru-560043 and Sri. Pritam Agrawal S/o S.R.Agrawal @ Sitaram Agrawal, presently residing at No.707, 2nd A Main, OMBR Layout, Banasawadi, Bengaluru-560043, have lost the original Sale Deed dated 29-09-2015, registered as Document No.YAN-1-03422/2015-16, in Book-1, stored in CD.No.YAND607, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Yelahanka, Bengaluru, pertaining to the Schedule Property, at Banasawadi, Bengaluru, on 26-06-2025. My client has also lodged a complaint in this regard with Banasawadi Police, on 27-06-2025 in Lost Article Report Serial No.1675242/2025. Therefore any person/s having found this document shall deliver the same either to me or to my clients with due acknowledgment thereof. It is hereby further notified that any persons claiming through or under the said Lost Document, the claim shall be void-ab-initio and shall be doing so at their risk and cost. Any objections or claims by the custodian of the said Lost Documents shall register the same with me within a period of 10 days from the date of publication with the undersigned.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of A 3 Bedroom Apartment bearing **No.307 (Property No.150200202500221390),** on the Third Floor, in Block/Wing "J4", of the residential complex known as **"PROVIDENT WELWORTH CITY"** having Super built up area of **1075 Square Feet** (which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and the proportionate share in all common areas and club house area) together with an exclusive right to use one open reserved Car Parking Space in the Apartment, together with 312.47 Square Feet of undivided share, constructed in the Converted Lands bearing Survey No.30,31,32,33,34 and 161 of Kadatanamale Village, Hesarghatta Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru Urban District, totally measuring 41 Acers 9.75 Guntas and bounded on the **East By:** Land in Survey No.160, Doddaballapur Road, Land in Survey No.162, 163, 164, 40 and 41, **West By:** Land in Survey No.41, 29, 30/7(P), 31/3 (P), 31/2(P), 31/3(P), 34/2(P) and 34/1(P), **North By:** Land in Survey No.37, 38 and 160 and **South By:** Land in Survey No.41 and 29.

K. SURESH, Advocate
12A, 1st Floor, 1st Main 5th Cross, Vijaya Bank - Narmada Colony, Banasawadi, Bengaluru-560043. Mob:9844377581.

S. E. RAILWAY – TENDER

e-Tender Notice No. SER-OHE-KGP-TATA-2x25 KV-RT dated 02.07.2025. For and on behalf of President of India, Chief Electrical Engineer (Project), South Eastern Railway invites e-tender for the following work : **Name of work and its location** : Design, Supply, Erection, Testing and Commissioning for upgradation of Electric traction system from 1 x 25 KV to 2 x 25 KV traction system for Kharagpur (Excl.) - Tatanagar (incl.) section of Kharagpur/Chakradharpur division of South Eastern Railway to meet 3000 MT loading. **Approximate Cost of the work :** ₹ 179,13,05,089.28. **Bid Security :** ₹ 91,06,500/-. **Cost of Tender Document :** Nil. **Completion period of the work :** 24 months. **Validity of Offer :** 120 days from the date of opening of tender. **Last date of receiving queries :** 25.07.2025. **Pre bid meeting :** 25.07.2025 at 11.30 hrs. **Physical Submission of all documents:** 19.08.2025. **Closing date of tender :** 20.08.2025 [14:00 hrs. IST]. **Website particulars where complete details of tender can be seen : www.ireps.gov.in (PR-351)**

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[Rule 8 (1)] POSSESSION NOTICE [For Immovable Property]

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited,** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 hereinafter called the Act and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13[12] read with Rules 3 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules, 2002 issued demand notices calling upon the borrowers, whose names have been indicated in Column [B] below on dates specified in Column [C] to repay the outstanding amount indicated in Column [D] below with interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the Public in general that the undersigned has **taken possession** of the properties mortgaged with the Company described herein below of the Columns on the respective dates mentioned in Column [E] in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13[4] of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Rules made there under.

The borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties mentioned below and any such dealings will be subject to the charge of **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited** for an amount mentioned in Column [D] along with interest and other charges.

Under section 13 [8] of the Securitisation Act, the borrowers can redeem the secured asset by payment of the entire outstanding including all costs, charges and expenses before notification of sale.

Sl. No.	Name And Address of Borrower & Loan Account Number [B]	Date of Demand Notice	Outstanding Amount	Date of Possession
[A]		[C]	[D]	[E]
1	**Loan Account No's: HE01GAL00000029817** **1) Gujurathi Chinnusa Mangala Rani, 2) Gundappa Chandrashekar Rohit, 3) Chandrashekhar Gundappa Indrajeet,** Above all are at: No.188/B, 2nd Main 6th Cross, Bapuji Nagar, Goverment Electric Factory, Bangalore South-560026. **4) Srinidhi Communication Cable Tv And Broadband Operation,** No.1/A, Srinidhi, 3rd Main Road, Babujinagara, Bangalore Karnataka-560026	13-03-2025	**Rs.36,07,814/-** as on **13-03-2025** and interest thereon	02-07-2025
	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the Municipal No.97/1, Situated at Guddadahalli, Extension, Bangalore Ward No.42, Bangalore Now Presently within the limits of BBMP and bounded on the: **East by:** K.V. Shankar's Property, **West by:** Private property, **North by:** Property No.4, **South by:** 30 feet Road, measuring East to West 15 feet and North to South 40 feet in all measuring 600 Square feet and along with building constructed thereon, Within the Registration District of Bangalore and Sub Registration Office			
2	**Loan Account No's: HE01RJJ00000054993** **1) Somasundarum Manjunath Shivatejas (Applicant), 2) GMS Aayara Enterprises (Co-Applicant), 3) Vishwam Kopperundevi (Co-Applicant),** No.207, 2nd Flr, SLV Parkview Apartment Vishweshearaiah Layout, A Block, 8th Cross, 5th Block, Ullulu Main Road, Ullalu, Bangalore, Karnataka-560110.	07-03-2025	**Rs.20,47,319/-** as on **07-03-2025** and interest thereon	02-07-2025
	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of the Flat bearing No.A207, in the Second Floor, having 1080 Square feet of Super Built up area along with one covered car parking space in the building Known as SLV PARK VIEW and 459 Square feet of UDS formed in SY.no.158/2, Khatha no.387/158/2,Situated at Ullalu Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on: **East by:** corridor the Flat No.A202, **West by:** Open Sky then Flat No.8210, **North by:** Flat No. A208, **South by:** Flat No.A206, Within the Registration District of Bangalore and Sub Registration office.			

Date: 04-07-2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **M/s. Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited**

Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
170.22 ↓	Sensex	83,239.47	₹440 ↑	24 carat (10 gm)	₹99,480	₹1,000 ↑	1 kg	₹1,11,000	↓ Dollar		85.51
48.10 ↓	Nifty	25,405.30	₹400 ↑	22 carat (10 gm)	₹91,200	₹10 ↑	10 gm	₹1,110	↓ Euro		100.88

India expected to attract lower US tariffs: Moody's

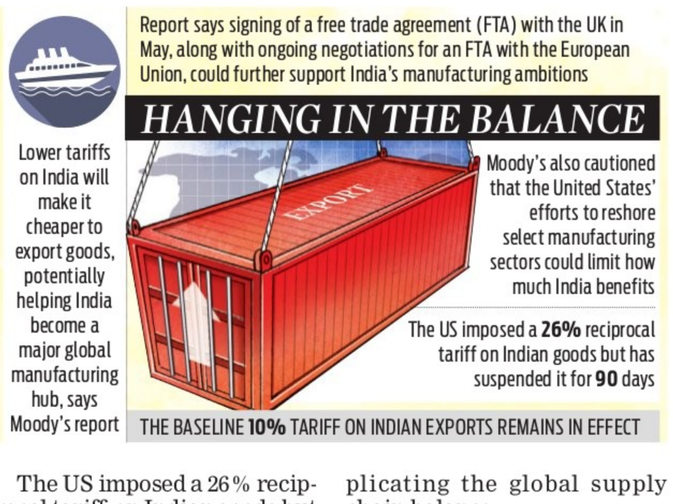
Report says FTA with UK will support India's manufacturing ambitions

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

INDIA may attract lower US tariffs than many other Asia Pacific (APAC) countries, making it a more attractive destination for global investment, Moody's Ratings said on Thursday.

As per the ratings agency, these lower tariffs make it cheaper to export goods from India, potentially helping the country become a major global manufacturing hub. The report also stated that the signing of a free trade agreement (FTA) with the UK in May, along with ongoing negotiations for an FTA with the European Union, could further support India's manufacturing ambitions. However, Moody's cautioned that the US' efforts to reshore select manufacturing sectors could limit how much India benefits.

"In contrast to countries like Cambodia and Vietnam, India has the potential to emerge as a beneficiary of a tariff-driven shift in investment and trade flows. India may be subject to lower tariffs than many in APAC, which could help the economy attract further investment flows and support its development as a global manufacturing base," the agency noted.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The US imposed a 26% reciprocal tariff on Indian goods but has suspended it for 90 days. However, the baseline 10% tariff on Indian exports remains in effect. India is currently seeking a full exemption from the additional 26% levy.

Moody's observed that several APAC economies have gained from the diversification of manufacturing and investment away from China over the past decade. However, the broad scope of the new tariffs announced in April has changed the geopolitical dynamics for many of these countries, complicating the global supply chain balance.

Cambodia and Vietnam—two key beneficiaries of China's manufacturing shift— were hit with some of the highest tariff rates globally. The US imposed a 49% tariff on Cambodian goods in April, later cut to 10% during a 90-day pause. A reversion to higher tariffs could reduce investment inflows, weaken competitiveness, and slow diversification beyond garment sector. Similarly, Vietnam faced a 46% tariff in April, which was also reduced to 10% temporarily as part of the same pause.

Oil imports dip in Jun; Russia top supplier

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

INDIA imported 4.66 million barrels per day (mbd) of crude oil and condensates in June 2025, which is slightly down from 4.72 mbd in May, according to data from shipping analytics firm Vortexa.

Russia continued to be India's top crude supplier, followed by Iraq, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates (UAE), and the United States. The report highlights a marginal month-on-month increase in crude imports from the US, rising to 2.98 mbd in June from 2.63 mbd in May.

In May, the country's crude oil imports reached an all-time high of 23.32 million metric tonnes in May, up 10% from the previous month. Russia accounted for nearly 40% of these imports, followed by Iraq at 22%, while imports from Saudi Arabia continued to decline.

Despite the ongoing conflict in the Middle East, particularly tensions between Israel and Iran, India's crude imports from the region remained largely unaffected. While imports from the Middle East Gulf (MEG) declined slightly in June, Vortexa noted that this was likely not linked to the geopolitical situation, as there were no observed disruptions through the Strait of Hormuz.

The drop, instead, appears to be driven by India increasing purchases of Russian grades like ESPO. Import of crude from the Middle East Gulf decreased slightly month-on-month in June, but that might not be due to the Israel-Iran conflict as we did not see any disruptions in flows across the Strait of Hormuz.

The drop in MEG crude intake by India last month might be due to India taking more Russian crude, particularly ESPO grade," said said Ivan Mathews, Head of APAC Analysis Vortexa..

Meanwhile, Petroleum Minister Hardeep Singh Puri on Tuesday said that crude oil prices are expected to stabilize around $65 per barrel going forward. His remarks came after Brent crude briefly rose to $78 per barrel following the recent conflict between Israel and Iran.

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ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

CRUDE oil prices are expected to fall below $60 a barrel by the end of 2025, driven by robust supply and subdued global demand, according to S&P Global.

Premasish Das, executive director of S&P Global Commodity Insights, speaking on the sidelines of S&P's Commodity Market Insights event, stated that crude prices are expected to slide by year-end and hover in the $55-$60 range.

The oil market is currently well-supplied, primarily due to higher output from The Organisation of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC+) and weak global demand. Beginning April, OPEC+ decided to unwind its 2.2 million barrels per day production cut on a monthly basis.

This decision initially caused crude to slump to $60 before recovering to around $70. The cartel had implemented these cuts in 2022 to support prices. Global oil demand, on the other hand, remains muted, largely due to a slowdown in China, the world's biggest oil importer.

However, he also cautioned against potential geopolitical risks, including the Iran-Israel conflict and the possibility of OPEC+ reinstating supply cuts. In such a scenario, oil prices could climb to $70-$75, he added. Das noted that India's oil demand is expected to remain robust in the second half of the year. The country's oil demand growth is anticipated to rise by 110-120 thousand barrels per day in the second half of 2025.

No 'middlemen' required for lounges, says Adani Airport chief executive

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

ADANI Airport Holdings said on Thursday passengers across India can now access lounges directly through their platform in partnership with other lounge operators, removing the need for any intermediaries.

Adani Group operates airports in Mumbai, Lucknow, Ahmedabad, Mangaluru, Guwahati, Jaipur, and Thiruvananthapuram. It is building the Navi Mumbai International Airport. "Passengers across India can now access lounges directly via our platform in partnership with other lounge operators. This means no intermediaries – only seamless, a world class experience delivered directly to our consumers," Adani Airport Holdings's CEO Arun Bansal said on LinkedIn.

Bansal added that India is at the global forefront of digital innovation. "UPI has transformed the lives of a billion Indians, revolutionising how we transact everyday and accelerating our journey to becoming the third-largest economy in the world. This fintech revolution has eliminated the need for middlemen across sectors, just as companies like Airbnb and Uber did several years ago."

"We have brought the same spirit of innovation to our own ecosystem, led by our outstanding Digital Lab team."

Adani Airport's move to cut middlemen and increase accessibility of lounge services comes days after Dreamfolks Services CEO and Chairperson Liberatha Peter Kallat criticised two major Indian airport operators for using pressuring tactics to disrupt her company's business. Dreamfolks commands 90% market share in domestic lounge access market for debit and credit card programs, as per the company's website.

In an interview to a financial news channel, Kallat said the airport operators who recently launched lounge access services have put pressure on banks to cut ties with them. Dreamfolks Services on Tuesday had announced certain programs of Axis Bank and ICICI Bank have been closed with effect from July 1, 2025.

"While the company is evaluating exact potential impact of aforesaid, it is likely to be material in nature. Activation of new programs/ deactivation of existing programs is part of our regular business operations," it said. "The company is committed to take requisite actions for mitigating above impact. The company remains committed to adhering to highest standards of corporate governance and will continue to inform the exchanges of any material events in a timely manner as required under applicable laws," it added.

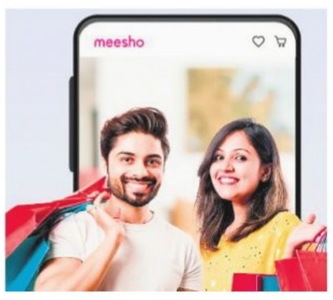
E-comm platform Meesho files for ₹8,500 cr IPO

BENN KOCHUVEEDAN @ Mumbai

LOW-COST e-commerce platform Meesho on Thursday filed the draft red herring prospectus via the confidential route with the markets regulator Sebi, looking to raise ₹4,250 crore in primary capital and a similar amount in secondary share sales.

With this, Meesho moves a step closer to listing and also joins a growing list of new-age companies like Pine Labs, Wakefit, Curefoods and Shadowfax which have already done so. These issues will be much higher given that new-age companies hit the street primarily to give an exit route to their external investors who sell their holding through offer-for-sale (OFS) route during the IPO.

While Pine Labs, a leading merchant commerce platform focused on providing fintech solutions to businesses, is likely to have a fresh issue of ₹2,600 crore, and an offer for sale of 14.78 crore shares, low-cost direct-to-consumer (D2C) brand focused on sleep and home solutions firm Wakefit has structured its IPO with a fresh issue of ₹468.2 crore and an OFS of 5.84 crore shares. On the other hand, cloud kitchen start-up Curefoods, which just got converted into a public entity, filed for a ₹800 crore public issue. Its OFS details are awaited, while the logistics service provider Shadowfax Technologies has also confidentially filed the IPO papers for a ₹2,500 crore issue, along with an OFS, valuing the company around ₹8,500 crore.



Meesho, cofounded by Vidit Aatrey (chief executive) and Sanjeev Barnwal (chief technology officer) is looking to get listed around late September or early October, according a to source. Total money mopped up through the IPO will be about ₹8,500 crore ($1 bn), of which ₹4,250 crore each will be primary issues and secondary issues. In the run up to its IPO, Meesho too had converted into a public entity like Curefoods last month.

EXPRESS READ

INR rallies 38 paise to 85.32 on trade deal hope

New Delhi: The rupee extended its gains on Thursday amid optimism over signing trade deals with the US, supported by a falling crude oil prices. The unit opened strong and remained stronger, gaining 38 paise to close the trade at 85.32 against the greenback, despite the equity market losing steam and closing the day in the red. *ENS*

Kant joins IndiGo as non-executive director

New Delhi: IndiGo, India's largest airline, has appointed Amitabh Kant as a non-executive director on Board of Directors of InterGlobe Aviation (parent company of Indigo), subject to regulatory and shareholder approvals. Kant, recently served as India's Sherpa to Prime Minister Narendra Modi during the G20 Presidency, was also the CEO of NITI Aayog. *ENS*

Daimler India bets on infrastructure boom with new BharatBenz trucks

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Chennai

DAIMLER India Commercial Vehicles has launched its new BharatBenz HX and Torqshift truck series, targeting India's growing construction and mining sectors, expected to reach $45 billion by 2030.

Aimed at shallow mining and fleet replacement, over 150 trucks are already in pilot use. "The trucks feature automated manual transmission (AMT), improving fuel economy, reducing driver fatigue, and increasing productivity. We're not offering a generic product," said DICV CTO Pradeep Kumar Thimmaiyan. DICV is eyeing exports, with Indonesia a potential market. The new models are priced between ₹56–65 lakh.

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—Pradeep Kumar Thimmaiyan, CTO, Daimler India Commercial Vehicles

HDFC Bank CEO moves SC seeking to quash Lilavati FIR

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

SASHIDHAR JAGDISHAN, chief executive of India's largest private sector lender HDFC Bank, on Thursday moved the Supreme Court seeking to quash the FIR filed by the Lilavati Kirtilal Mehta Medical Trust alleging he has taken bribe of ₹2.05 crore from one of the past trustees. The apex court will hear the matter on Friday.

The move by Jagdishan comes after three judges of the Bombay High Court had had recused themselves from hearing the case citing their investments in the bank's shares or their personal associations with both petitioners. Also, according to an earlier administrative order by the High Court, cases related to the Lilavati Trust are not be listed before six other judges too.

The FIR filed by the Lilavati Medical Trust, which runs a superspeciality hospital under the name of Lilavati Hospital in Mumbai, had accused Jagdishan of accepting a bribe of ₹2.05 crore from an erstwhile trustee Chetan Mehta, for giving him financial advice and helping him to retain control over the Trust's governance.

According to a report in LiveLaw, a website that covers legal matters, on Thursday senior advocate Mukul Rohatgi mentioned the matter before a bench of justices MM Sundresh and K Vinod Chandran and sought urgent listing of the matter on Friday.

BEYOND METROS

Ecommerce sales in tier-3 cities surge 21%

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

WITH ecommerce firms such as Flipkart and Amazon gearing up for their sales, tier-2 and tier-3 cities have emerged as key growth drivers outpacing that of metros.

Ecommerce and retail enablement SaaS platform Unicommerce in its summer online sale trends in 2025 reveals that tier-3 cities drove a 21% y-o-y growth during the 2025 summer sales as they contributor to the overall 8% increase in ecommerce order volumes.

While the sales kicked off in early May this year, the summer season saw a continued run of sale events, drawing consumers with attractive deals across categories including electronics, apparel, fashion and footwear, beauty and home decor, it said.

Books category saw 200% jump in order volumes

As per Unicommerce, the books category saw the highest growth with a 200% jump in order volumes over last year. Home décor and furniture followed with a 100% increase. Another notable summer trend was the surge in orders for travel accessories, which grew by over 46% YoY

Amazon India has announced its Prime Day 2025 deals, exclusively for Prime members. Starting from 12:00 AM on July 12 to 11:59 PM on July 14, it said Prime Day brings savings across categories including smartphones, consumer electronics, TVs and appliances, among others.

"The summer season has become an interesting time of year, as brands and ecommerce platforms concentrate their efforts on driving sales through themed campaigns, early-bird offers, and category-specific promotions, " said Kapil Makhija, MD & CEO of Unicommerce.

He added consumers in tier-2 and tier-3 cities are increasingly embracing online channels for lifestyle upgrades like smart electronics, stylish home décor, and wellness products - categories once dominated by metro buyers. "This interesting trend highlights deepening of India's ecommerce sector," he added.

According to Unicommerce data, e-commerce momentum continued through the summer season, with Tier-1 cities and metropolitan areas leading the way and accounting for 42% of total order volumes. Interestingly, Tier-3 cities followed closely with a 38% share, highlighting the growing appetite for online shopping in smaller towns. Tier-2 cities contributed 20%.

Reserve Bank bans foreclosure fees on floating rate personal, small biz loans

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

AFTER banning penal charges for foreclosing/pre-payment penalties on mortgage loans a few years back, the Reserve Bank has barred all lenders from levying such charges on floating rate loans granted to micro and small enterprises.

The regulator has also debarred any lenders from penalising personal loan borrowers if the credit is on floating rates. In a latest circular, the regulator said the new regulations will be applicable for all such loans sanctioned or renewed after January 1, 2026. The RBI cited divergent practices among regulated entities with regard to levy of pre-payment charges in case of loans sanctioned to small businesses. And that is has found some lenders have been found to include restrictive clauses in loan contracts to deter borrowers from switching over to another lender.

The directions are meant for all commercial banks, tier IV urban primary co-operative banks, upper layer non-banking financial companies, and all-India financial institutions, the circular said, adding that the directions will not be applicable to small finance banks, regional rural banks and local area banks. "All small finance bank, a regional rural bank, a tier III primary urban co-operative banks, state cooperative banks, central cooperative banks and medium layer NBFCs will not levy any pre-payment charges on loans with sanctioned amount up to ₹50 lakh," the RBI said. The RBI said for all loans granted for the purposes other than business to individuals, with or without co-obligants, a regulated entity will not levy pre-payment charges.

In case of cash credit/overdraft facilities, no pre-payment charges will be applicable if the borrower intimates the lender of her intention not to renew the facility before the period as stipulated in the loan agreement, provided that the facility gets closed on the due date.

The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply & Transport Undertaking
(OF THE BRIHANMUMBAI MAHANAGARPALIKA)

TENDER NOTICE

E-tender is re-invited for the supply of following item.

(1) 80349 (Corrigendum).

Note: For more details, log on to website **https://mahatenders.gov.in**

PRO/AAM(M)/38/2025 **GENERAL MANAGER**

DIRECTOR GENERAL (AERONAUTICAL SYSTEMS)
(Government of India, Ministry of Defence)
Defence Research & Development Organisation (DRDO)
New Thippasandra, Bengaluru - 560 075

Phone No. : 080-22511526/22511532/25040895
Email : dgaero.hqr@gov.in
Fax : 080-25283022/25283028

Engagement of Paid Internship Trainees (2025-2026)

Advt. No. DGAERO/PDINT/2025-26/01 Date: 26 June 2025

Applications are invited to engage 200 Final Year Under Graduate/Post Graduate Engineering and Science Stream (Post Graduates) Students under PAID INTERNSHIP SCHEME-2025 for the Aero cluster labs, i.e ADE, CABS, CEMILAC and GTRE at Bengaluru and ADRDE at Agra.

Last date of submission of applications: 10 Jul 2025 (1600 Hrs)

For further details and application form
Please visit DRDO website - https:www.drdo.gov.in

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केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
(A Government of India Undertaking)

Ulsoor Branch (0791)
PB No.883, 18/10, Cambridge Road, Ulsoor, Bangalore-560008. Ph: 9483530791, E-mail: cb0791@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWER/GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

'We, **Canara Bank, Ulsoor Branch (0791),** had issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledged and returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notices sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notices by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Mortgagor/ Guarantor: 1.Selvam.C S/o Kannan, **2. Parameshwari.S** W/o Selvam C, **3. Balasubramani.S** S/o Selvam C. **All are residing at:** No.66/2, 1st Cr Krishnamurthy Layout, S G Palya DRC Post, Bengaluru-560029.

Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower

Sl. No	Loan Number Nature of loan limit	Date of Sanction	Sanctioned Amount(Rs)	Liability With Interest	Rate of Interest
1	04339830000036 MORTGAGE LOAN	18.07.2016	Rs. 40,00,000/-	Rs. 14,63,545.92	11.70% PLUS 2% Penal Interest

Total Liability Amount: Rs.14,63,545.92 (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Sixty Three Thousand Five Hundred Forty Five and Paisa Ninety Two Only) together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

NPA Date : 29.06.2025 **Demand Notice Dated : 02.07.2025**

Name of the title holder: Mr. Selvam C, Mrs. Parameshwari

Details of Immovable Security Assets: Schedule-A: All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No.7 (Old no.66/2 thereafter 51-7 at Tavarekere village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore south), PID No.63-108-7 situated at corporation ward No.63,1st cross road, Krishnamurthy Layout, Tavarekere Extension, Bangalore measuring 29*45ft in all measuring 1305, along and bounded on the East by: Site No.6, West by: Private Property, North by: Bhovi Colony, South by: Road.

CERSAI Security ID: 400013079995

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower/ Guarantors/ Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated/ Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section 13(2) of the said Act.

Date : 03.07.2025 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER
RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BOLANGIR
2nd Corrigendum Notice
No.2020 dtd.30/06/2025

O-372: The 2nd Corrigendum Notice vide this office Bid Identification No. BLGR-Online-01/2025-26 dated 09.06.2025 for the work **"Construction of road from Ainlatunga to Ghasian Road in the district of Bolangir under MMSY-TRIP for the year 2024-25"**.

The completion period mentioned in NIT (Annexure) read as 12 (Twelve) calander months instead of 9 (Nine) Calander Months. All others terms and condition remain unchanged.

OIPR-25118/11/0035/2526 **Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Bolangir**

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN:U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.: 908/BGK/SE(E)/AEE(C)/Tr(Project)/25-26/1059-66 Date: 02.07.2025

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(THROUGH KPPP MODE ONLY)

KPTCL invites bids for the follwing works:

(1) Bid Enquiry No: **KPTCL/2024-25/OW/WORK_INDENT 1596/CALL-2 (Reserved for ST Category)** for Construction of office room for accommodation of Nodal officer Mudhol at 110KV S/s Mudhol.

(2) Bid Enquiry No: **KPTCL/2024-25/OW/WORK_INDENT 1597/CALL-2 (Reserved for SC Category)** for Construction of office room for accommodation of Nodal officer and T&P Room at 110KV S/s Jamakhandi.

(3) Bid Enquiry No: **KPTCL/2024-25/OW/WORK_INDENT 1600/CALL-2** for Improvements to Area Compound wall at 220 kV R/S Vajaramatti.

(4) Bid Enquiry No: **KPTCL/2024-25/OW/WORK_INDENT 1601/CALL-2** for Construction of Boundary Compound wall at 110kV S/S Ukkali.

(5) Bid Enquiry No: **KPTCL/2024-25/OW/WORK_INDENT 1604/CALL-2 (Reserved for SC Category)** for Construction of Boundary Compound wall at 110kV S/S Hiremural.

(6) Bid Enquiry No: **KPTCL/2024-25/OW/WORK_INDENT 1606/CALL-2 (Reserved for Category-2(A))** for Construction of Boundary Compound wall at 110kV S/S Honawad.

The tenders will be received through KPP Portal only. The detailed notification regarding subject enquiry in the KPP process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"E Procurement KPTCL"** or to **https//kppp.karnataka.gov.in on or after 04.07.2025, 5.30 PM .** Further details can be had from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele.), Tr(Projects) Circle, KPTCL, Zonal Office Complex, Opp. Sector No. 45, Navanagar, Bagalakote-587103. Ph: 08354-236032 & 236029

BANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED
(Wholly owned by Government of Karnataka undertaking)
(CIN-U04010KA2002SGC030438)

NOTIFICATION INVITING TENDER (NIT)
(Through e-procurement portal)

BESCOM invites tenders for **providing Electrical infrastructure to the regularized IP sets by extending 11 KV lines, Erection of 25 KVA Star 1 (4 Star) rated Distribution Transformers and Extension of LT line** on Partial Turnkey basis (Major materials will be supplied by BESCOM) under item wise fixed price contact on PERCENTAGE QUOTING BASIS on sub-division basis vide Enquiry No's.: BESCOM/2025-26/EL/WORK_INDENT470, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500 and 501 (31 Enquiry No's.) for Yadiyur, Chitradurga urban, Bagepalli, Gowribidanur, Harohally, Molakalmuru, Kunigal, Kudur, Madhugiri, Sira CSD, Koratagere, Jagalur, Santhebannur, Nyamathi, Davanagere Rural, Harihara, Anagodu, Pavagada, Honnali, Srirampura, Telagi, Thallak, Sira RSD, Tiptur, Hosadurga, Hiriyuru, Challakere, Chitradurga Rural, Holalkere, Turuvekere, Chikkanayakanahalli Sub Divisions respectively.

Availability of Bid documents: 09.07.2025 @ 15:00 Hrs onwards. **Last date for Bid Submission:** 11.08.2025 @ 15:00 Hrs. **Opening of Technical Bids:** 12.08.2025 @ 15:30 Hrs. **Pre-bid Meeting:** 25.07.2025 @ 11:00 Hrs. **Last date for submission of Queries:** 24.07.2025 before 17:00 Hrs. **Venue:** Conference hall, 3rd Floor, Belaku Bhavana, Corporate office, BESCOM, K. R Circle, Bangalore- 560 001.

The bid documents can be downloaded and necessary assistance can be obtained through the e-procurement portal from the website https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

E-procurement Help Desk: Phone No: +91-8046010000 +91-8068948777, E-mail: support@eprochelpdesk.com

Aspiring bidders needs to be registered on e-procurement portal. Bidders can take the assistance from the e-procurement during working hours.

Sd/-
Chief General Manager (Ele.), Projects, BESCOM
E mail: cgmproject.bescom@gmail.com

For Electricity related complaints call: 1912
Download "BESCOM Mithra" Mobile APP

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **SRI.BHASKAR.P** S/o.Late R.Parasumam, is the owner of immovable property mentioned in the schedule hereunder and he has lost the Original Khatha Certificate dated 12/1/2017 issued by Bangalore Development in the name of Sri.N.S.Shashikanth Rao, pertaining to the schedule property. In case anybody having any in possession of the said document, shall handover the same to the under signed within SEVEN DAYS from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of converted residential Site bearing No.173 measuring East to West-9.14 mtrs and North to South-6.10 mtrs, totally measuring 600 Sq.ft., carved out in converted Sy. Nos. 132/1, 132/8, 137, 146 and 147 situated at Kambipura Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, and layout plan approved by Bangalore Development Authority Vide order BDA/ TPM/PRL/38/2012-13/853/2013-14 dated 03.06.2013, in the layout known as **"GLOBAL GARDEN CITY"** and bounded on:

East by : Site bearing No. 149; **West by :** Road **North by :** Site bearing No. 172, **South by :** Site bearing No.174.

N.JAGADEESH KUMAR, Advocate
No.30/1, 2nd Floor, 7th Cross,
Near NR Colony Bus Stand, Opp. Hotel Dwaraka,
Bangalore-560019, *Cell # 9341261700*

PUBLIC NOTICE

Our clients wish to purchase the schedule property from its Owner Sri Ravikumar Shivashankar. If any person/s has/have got any nature of claim or objection for the sale transaction in favour of our clients, such claim or objection has to be sent to the following address along with the copies of documents within seven days from the date of this publication. If our clients do no receive any claim or objection from any person within seven days from the date of this publication, in which event our clients will proceed with the sale transaction as if no claim or objection from any person/s for sale of the schedule property in favour of our clients.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Municipal No. 20, situated at Silver Jubilee Park Road, Bangalore, coming within the municipal jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No. 119, Dharmaraya Swamy Temple, Bangalore having its PID No. 47-1-20.

Measuring :- East to West : 20 feet, North to South On the eastern side 60 feet, On the western side 72 feet, Measuring in all 1320 square feet,

Bounded on the:- East by : Sri M. Chandrashekar's Property, West by : Sri M. Chandrashekar's Property, North by : Conservancy Lane, South by : Silver Jubilee Park Road, Consisting of Ground Floor, First Floor and Second Floor.

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BANGALORE - 560009.
Phone No. 98451 61630
Bangalore, Date : 4.7.2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to all the General Public that my clients 1. Sri.N.R.Venkatesh, 2. Smt.J.Yashoda, 3.Mr.Swaroop NV Reddy, 4. Kumari. Priyanka NV Reddy, all are residing at No.460, 3rd Main, 6th Cross, Behind Government School, Balakrishnareddy Layout, Doddanekundi, Bengaluru-560 037, purported to have executed Registered General Power of Attorney dated 16-12-2016, vide Document No.INR-4-00576-2016-17, stored in CD No.INRD180, Book -4, in the office of the Senior Sub Registrar, Indiranagar, and Lease Deed dated: 10-08-2016, registered as document No.HLS-1-01871-2016-17, stored in CD No. HLSD134, in the office of the Senior Sub-registrar Halasuru in favour of Sri.Chandan Reddy, residing at No.599, 1st street, Ferns Paradise, Outer Ring Road, Doddanekkundi, Bengaluru -560 037, in respect of the schedule property as mentioned below.

Hence in order to protect my clients right, title and interest over the below schedule property, my clients have cancelled/ revoked the Registered General power of Attorney dated 16-12-2016 and Lease Deed dated: 10/08/2016 purported to have been executed by my clients in favour of Sri.Chandan Reddy by issuance of legal notice dated 06-11-2023, and another legal notice dated: 13-12-2023. Henceforth, the said Sri, Chandan Reddy is ceased to be my clients General Power of Attorney Holder and Lessee and he has no right, title or interest over the schedule property.

Hence it is hereby informed to all the general public not to make any sort of negotiations or transactions with the above said Sri,Chandan Reddy, in resepct of the schedule property and if anybody make any transactions with said person the same is not binding on my clients and you will be doing so at your cost, and risk and my clients are no way held liable for the same. My clients will also proceed against the said person by initiating criminal and civil proceedings before the competent court of law.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No.6/1A (Sy No.6/1A) measuring 0-11 guntas (11.979 sq feet) situated at Doddanekundi Village, Varthuru Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, and the same is bounded on the: **East by:** property baring Sy No.20, **West by:** Doddanekundi Outer Ring Road, **North by :** Property bearing Sy No.24 and 20 **South by:** Property bearing Sy No.6/1B as well as Road.

SMT. KAVITHA .B.G, Advocate
No.H10, 3rd cross, LN Pupra, Srirampura,
Bengaluru. Mob: 8762210166.

PUBLIC NOTICE

II, PARVATHI C N, W/o. Sri. Mahabalaraju D K, lost the Property Documents of my late father Sri. NAGESH CN. Viz., Original Sale deed, Allotment letter and Possession Certificate on 23.06.2025 around 8.30PM near CBI Road, Ganganagar, Bangalore. The sale was executed between Cubbonpet Silk Handloom Weavers Society Bangalore and Sri. Muniswamappa (1st owner) bearing Site No. 185 in the weavers colony, Ganganagar, Bangalore, under survey No. 27/1, 34,35, Document register No.2475, Page No. 32, Book No. 1, 1679, Dated 19.11.1964, Anyone finds, kindly contact Mobile No. 98862 83277 or handover to R.T Nagar Police station. Bangalore. **if anybody finds it, please Contact: 9886283277**

DOCUMENTS LOST

This is to inform the General Public that my client **Smt. Veena H, W/o Sri Ramesh,** residing at Malleshwaram, Bangalore have lost the Sale Deed pertaining to the property bearing No. 209, Katha No. 897, Assessment No. 65/4, situated at 2nd Main, Kaveripura, (Sy. No. 65/A), Kamakshipalya Village, Saneguruvanahalli Dhakale, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, now present BBMP Ward No. 103, which was purchased from Sri H L Chandrashekar through Sale Deed Doc. No. BLN-1-59207-2004-2005, CD No. BLND152, dated 22-03-2005, registered at Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore. The said document was lost by my husband after collecting the documents from the Vendor Sri HL Chandrashekar and went to take photocopies at Kamakshipalya on 26-06-2025. Inspite of best efforts we could not find the same and in this regard on 01-07-2025, we had lodged online complaint at Police Unit, Bengaluru City, Vide Lost Report No. 1680615/2025. If anybody finds the above said documents or is in possession, please handover the same to the below said address within **7 days** from the date of this publication.

RENUKA PRASAD M.S, Advocate
No.47/3, 1st Main 4th Cross, Sri Shiva Kshethra Sampige Someshwara Temple Road, Sampige Layout, Pattergarpalya Main Road, Bangalore-560 079.
Mobile: 98446 22187 / 98865 22187

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the public that the absolute sale deed dated 02/03/1995 registered as document No 2486 in the 1ST book 1731 having page number 111-114 along 1994-1995 year, with respect to the agriculture land bearing Sy.No. 7/3 measuring 1.39 Guntas and the absolute sale deed dated 27-10-1997 registered as document No 1373 in the 1ST book 1877 having page number 173 – 176 along 1997-1998 year at the office of the Nelmangala sub registrar, with respect to the agriculture land bearing Sy.No. 8/2 measuring 1.16 Guntas situated at Veeranjipura village kasaba hobli nelmangala taluk Bangalore rural district.

The above all has been lost/misplaced. A Bank of Baroda cheque leaf bearing number 000018. In this regard I have lodged a lost article report bearing No 1620646/2025 dated 23/05/2025 before the Govindarajapura police station. It is hereby informed and put to notice not to undertake or entry into any transaction/s on the basis of or with respect to the aforesaid missing/s document. Any person/s having any claim/s over the said document/property or any objection/s may lodge his/her/their claim/s and objection/s to the undersigned with documentary proof within 15 days from today, failing which, it will be deemed that there is/are no claim/s or objection/s and/or claim/s if any, has/have been given up.

Venkatesh K
No.643, 5th Main, 12th Cross, MC Layout
Vijayanagar, Bangalore-560040.
Ph:9606748426

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase the property mentioned in the schedule hereunder from its owners **M/s. Maangalya Developers,** A partnership Firm, Having its office at Kedia Arcade, Basement, No.92, Infantry Road, Bangalore-560 001 and the agreement holders (1) Mr. Mahender Kumar Chawla son of Mr. Trilok Chand Chawla and (2) Mrs. Sarita Chawla wife of Mahender Kumar Chawla, both are residents of B-5/57, Safdarjung Enclave, South West Delhi-110029. The owner and the agreement holders represents that apart from them, there are no other person/s having any right or claim over the Schedule Property and they have neither mortgaged nor encumbered the Schedule Property or part thereof in any manner nor has entered into any agreement of Sale/ Development Agreement/ Memorandum of Understanding etc., with any other person/s. Any person/s having objection/s or claim/s may with documentary evidence lodge their objection/s claim/s **within Ten (10) days** from the date of this notice with the undersigned, failing which, my client shall proceed with the above mentioned transaction.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing **Flat No.503,** presently bearing BBMP Khata No.A-503, in **"SAMRUDDI BLOCK"**, situated in the Fifth Floor of the Residential Apartment Complex Known as **"MAANGALYA ASHIRWAD"** having a super built-up area of 2111 Square feet, with all common areas attributable thereto with one covered car parking space in the Ground Floor, earmarked as slot No.160 together with 0.58% equivalent to 591 square feet of undivided right, title and interest in the composite property bearing BBMP Khata No.2/82/95A/95B, situated in Basavanapura, Bannerghatta Road, Arekere Sub- Division, Bangalore, measuring 1,11,118 Square feet, inclusive of proportionate share in the common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other built up areas of common usage and the composite property is bounded on the:

East by : Bannerghatta Road
West by : Private Property
North by : Private Property
South by : Private Property and Road leading to Weavers Colony

CHANDRA NAIK .T, Advocate
M/s. T. CHANDRA NAIK & ASSOCIATES
No. 38, Prithvi Building, K.G. Road,
Bangalore-560 009. Date: 03-07-2025

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ಗೌರವಾನ್ವಿತ 3ನೇ ಅಪರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮತ್ತು ಸತ್ರ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧೀಶರ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯ ರಾಮನಗರ ರಾಮನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ

ಪಿ.ಆರ್.ಎಸ್.ಸಂ. ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 37/2025

ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರರು : ಶ್ರೀ ನಾಗರಾಜಯ್ಯ ಸಿ. ಬಿನ್ ಲೇಟ್ ಚನ್ನಂಜಪ್ಪ ವಯಸ್ಸು ಸುಮಾರು 52 ವರ್ಷಗಳು ವಾಸ: ಜೋಳನಾಯಕನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮ, ತಾವರೆಕೆರೆ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು -562120. ವಿರುದ್ಧ

ಎದುರುದಾರರು : ಇಲ್ಲ

ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ರಾಮನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಕನಕಪುರ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಬಾಷ್ಯನರ ಬೀದಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿದ್ದ ಲೇಟ್ ನಂಜುಂಡಯ್ಯನವರ ಮಗನಾದ ಶ್ರೀ ಶಿವನಂಜಪ್ಪ ರವರು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 21/08/2011 ರಂದು ಹಾಗೂ ಇವರ ಧರ್ಮಪತ್ನಿಯಾದ ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಗೌರಮ್ಮರವರು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 15/01/2016 ರಂದು ಮರಣ ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದು, ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರರು ಈ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಪ್ರಕರಣವನ್ನು ಭಾರತೀಯ ಉತ್ತರಾಧಿಕಾರ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ ಕಲಂ 278 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದಿಂದ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 30/03/1999 ರಂದು ಸದರಿಯವರು ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರರ ಹೆಸರಿಗೆ ಬರೆಸಿಟ್ಟಿರುವ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತವಲ್ಲದ ವಿಲ್ ಯಾ ಮರಣ ಶಾಸನ ಪತ್ರ ಪ್ರೊಬೇಟ್ ಅಥವಾ ಆಡಳಿತಾತ್ಮಕ ಆದೇಶವನ್ನು ಕೋರಿ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಅರ್ಜಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಅರ್ಜಿಯ ಹೆಡ್ಡೂಲ್ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಹಿಶಾಸಕ್ತಿ ಹೊಂದಿರುವ ಯಾರಾದರೂ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಅರ್ಜಿಯ ವಿಚಾರಣೆಯ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಅವರ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತರುವ ಉದ್ದೇಶದಿಂದ ಈ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ್ದು, ಈ ಅರ್ಜಿಯ ವಿಚಾರಣೆಯು **ದಿನಾಂಕ:07/08/2025 ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11-00ಕ್ಕೆ ಮುಂದೂಡಲಾಗಿದ್ದು,** ಈ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ತಾವುಗಳು ಘನ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯಕ್ಕೆ ತಾವುಗಳಾಗಲೀ ಅಥವಾ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ವಕೀಲರ ಮೂಲಕವಾಗಲೀ ಈ ಅರ್ಜಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ತಕರಾರು ಅಥವಾ ಲಿಖಿತ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ/ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳು ಏನಾದರೂ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ದಿನಾಂಕದಂದು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ತಪ್ಪಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಪ್ರಕರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇರೆ ಯಾರ ನಿರಾಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಯು ಸಹ ಇಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ತಿಳಿದು ಏಕಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ತೀರ್ಮಾನವನ್ನು ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯವು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತದೆ.

ಹೆಡ್ಡೂಲ್ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿನ ವಿವರ

1) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ತಾವರೆಕೆರೆ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಜೋಳನಾಯಕನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ. 87/3 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 1 ಎಕರೆ 28 ಗುಂಟೆ ಜಮೀನು ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಚಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ:
ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,
ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,
ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,
ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ : ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ. 86,

2) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ತಾವರೆಕೆರೆ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಜೋಳನಾಯಕನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ. 87/5 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ ಖರಾಬು ಜಾತ 0.36 ಗುಂಟೆ ಜಮೀನು ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಚಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ: **ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ :** ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು, **ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ :** ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಹಳ್ಳ **ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ :** ವೆಂಕಟಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು, **ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ :** ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,

3) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ತಾವರೆಕೆರೆ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಜೋಳನಾಯಕನಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಸರ್ವೆ ನಂ. 87/4 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು ವಿಸ್ತೀರ್ಣ 0.11 ಗುಂಟೆ ಜಮೀನು ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಚಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ:
ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ : ವೆಂಕಟಮಾದಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,
ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,
ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯನವರ ಜಮೀನು,
ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಿಕ್ಕಣ್ಣನವರ ಜಮೀನು,

4) ರಾಮನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ಕನಕಪುರ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ ಹೋಬಳಿ, ಹಾರೋಹಳ್ಳಿ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಬಾಷ್ಯನರ ಬೀದಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವ ಖಾನೇಷುಮಾರಿ 89/225/238 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪೂರ್ವ-ಪಶ್ಚಿಮ 17.5 ಹಾಗೂ ಉತ್ತರ-ದಕ್ಷಿಣ 82 ಅಡಿಗಳ ಮನೆ ಸ್ವತ್ತಿಗೆ ಚಕ್ಕುಬಂದಿ:
ಪೂರ್ವಕ್ಕೆ : ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ ಆಯ್ಯರ್‌ರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು,
ಪಶ್ಚಿಮಕ್ಕೆ : ಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರ್ ಬಿ. ಎಸ್. ರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು,
ಉತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ : ರಸ್ತೆ, **ದಕ್ಷಿಣಕ್ಕೆ :** ಪುರುಷೋತ್ತಮರವರ ಸ್ವತ್ತು,

2025ನೇ ಜುಲೈ 2 ರಂದು ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದ ಮೊಹರು ಮತ್ತು ಸಹಿಯೊಂದಿಗೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದ ಆಜ್ಞೆಗೆ ಮೇರೆಗೆ
ಮುಖ್ಯ ಆಡಳಿತಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯವರು
ಮಾನ್ಯ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮತ್ತು ಸತ್ರ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧೀಶರ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯ
ರಾಮನಗರ, ರಾಮನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ

ಅರ್ಜಿದಾರರ ಪರ ವಕೀಲರು ಶ್ರೀ ಹರೀಶ ಟಿ. ವಕೀಲರು
ನೋಂ ಸಂ. ಕೆ.ಎಲ್.ಆರ್/2333/2005 ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL -II AT BANGALORE

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore-560 001

O.A. No.1400/2024

Between : Canara Bank, ...Applicant

And

M/s. Anjaneya Enterprises & Another ....Defendants

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES, 1993, TO THE DEFENDANTS

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an Application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for recovery of a sum of **Rs.20,25,865/-** (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Five only) together with current/future interest and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or **on 05.08.2025 at 10.30 a.m.**, in person or by a Pleader/ Advocate duly instructed as to why the reliefs prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case of default, the Application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this **06.06.2025**

By the Order of the Tribunal
Sd/- Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal -II

To:

1. M/s. Anjaneya Enterprises, Rep. by its Proprietor Sri Venkatesh M. No. 20, 1st Main Road, Byraweshwarangar, Nagarabhavi Main Road, Bangalore - 560 072. **...Defendant No. 1**

2. Sri Venkatesh M. S/o. Sri Muniraju, No. 28, 1st Main, Pattegarpalya. Bangalore - 560 079. **...Defendant No.2**

IN THE COURT OF THE XIX ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-18)
P & SC No. 480 of 2024

Between:

1.JAYALAKSHMI JAYARAMAN, Daughter of Late Jayaraman, Aged about 54 years, Residing at No. 3321, Laviana ST, Tustin, CA 92782, USA.

2.VAIDYANATHAN JAYARAMAN, Son of Late Jayaraman, Aged about 52 years, Residing at #22820, Watson Heights Circle, Ashburn, VA 20148, USA.

Sl Nos. 1 and 2 represented by their GPA Holder, G. Sathya Prasad, Son of Govinda Rao. S

World Boxing Cup: Hitesh, Sakshi assured of medals

Hitesh Gulia and Sakshi secured semifinal spots and guaranteed themselves podium finishes on Thursday, adding to India's medal count at the World Boxing Cup – Astana, Kazakhstan 2025. Hitesh (70kg) delivered a 5:0 win over Kazakhstan's Almaz Orozbekov. In the women's 54kg category, Sakshi beat Brazil's Tatiana Regina de Jesus Chagas via unanimous decision.

Captain hits double ton on Day 2, helping India post 587 before pacers join party to put hosts in precarious position

INDIA ON TOP AFTER GILL'S EPIC KNOCK

GOMESH S @Chennai

AS Shubman Gill awkwardly swatted Josh Tongue's first ball of the 122nd over down the fine-leg, he knew he had done it. The India captain leaped and punched the air in ecstacy, turned around to double check once again where the ball was, before jumping again and letting out a roar. He hit his first Test double century.

Unlike the hundred celebration on Wednesday, Gill did not show any sort of anger or pent up emotions. He greeted the moment with a wide smile and his trademark bow to acknowledge the applause from a packed Edgbaston crowd.

Much like the thousands at the venue, Gill, too, perhaps knew that the double century was almost inevitable. It looked so on Day Two, especially with Gill and Ravindra Jadeja (89) ensuring that it was not going to be a repeat of the first innings at Headingley. But in sport, knowing it, and doing it are two different things. Since the time he broke into the scene four years ago, entire cricketing world knew that Gill is a generational talent and is made for bigger things.

However, six months ago, after a poor Australia tour, his place was in question. This was not without merit as his away numbers were below par at best. And more than anything else, Gill was yet to stamp his authority in Test cricket. As much as he seemed as an obvious choice to lead Indian cricket forward, Gill had not yet reached where Virat Kohli had when he was handed the keys to the kingdom in 2015.

So when Gill walked out to bat at No 4 for the first time in Leeds — a position previously held and dominated by Kohli and Sachin Tendulkar — the burden and expectations would have been significant. He did come out all guns blazing, smashing a century, but as the Test match progressed, the only thing that mattered was the result. Gill had gotten out to a soft dismissal after reaching triple figure, India lost their last seven wickets for 41 runs and then, eventually the match by five wickets.

Edgbaston, however, was different right from the moment Gill walked out to bat. The pitch might not have had any demons, but the 25-year-old batted like a possessed teenager who was known to spend hours tiring out bowlers in age-group cricket. Such was his control with the bat that according to Cricviz, Gill played just 4 per cent false shots on Day One which is the lowest for a Test hundred in England since 2006.

When he came back on Thursday, Gill just picked up from where he left. He continued to pile on, while not showing any rush to get out. Considering the natural stroke-player he is, Gill batted time and played the balls on merit, the runs kept coming. In the process, he ended up doing what great batters often do — make hay when the sun shines. For the elite list of batters, a century is never enough. When they know runs are there for the taking, they don't leave anything behind. Gill had done that all through his growing up years. At 14, Gill (351) had put on a world record opening stand of 587 along with Nirmal Singh (267) during an inter-district game. He had not even gone past 130 in Test cricket before arriving in England. Prior to this tour, he had faced more than 200 balls in an innings only once.

That, however, is history. Gill's appetite for batting and runs is what the captain in him needed the most.

And it came to the fore in Edgbaston. Gill batted for 387 balls, spent almost eight and a half hours in the middle, breaking one record after another on his way to the highest score by an Indian Test captain — 269. Such was the quality and the impact of the innings that his average went from 36.57 to 40.64 in a span of two days.

By the time he walked back to the dressing room, the captain had put India in a position where it is incredibly hard for them to lose. In doing so, he had lived up to what former India head coach Rahul Dravid told him about 15 months ago just before a fourth innings chase against the same opponent in Ranchi. "If not you, who, if not now, when?," Dravid had told Gill who went onto score a match-winning fifty, taking India across the line.

On Thursday, captain Shubman Gill announced to the world that this is his team, and that his time is here.

6 Shubman Gill became the sixth Indian captain to score a Test double ton.

21 Gill's double century is the first by an Indian in SENA countries since Sachin Tendulkar's 241 n.o (Sydney 2004) 21 years ago.

1 Gill is now at the top of the list. His 269 is the highest score among Indian captains

SCOREBOARD

India 1st Innings (O/n 310/5): Gill c Pope b Tongue 269, Jadeja c Smith b Tongue 89, Washington b Root 42, Akash Deep c Duckett b Bashir 6, Siraj c Smith b Bashir 8, Prasidh not out 5; **Extras:** (B-6, LB-6, NB-8, W-2) 22; **Total:** (all out in 151 ovs) **587**; **FoW:** 6-414, 7-558, 8-574, 9-574; **Bowling:** Woakes 25-6-81-2, Carse 24-3-83-1, Tongue 28-2-119-2, Stokes 19-0-74-1, Bashir 45-2-167-3, Root 5-0-20-1, Brook 5-0-31-0.; **England 1st innings:** Duckett c Gill b Akash Deep 0, Crawley c Rahul b Siraj 19, Pope c Karun b Akash Deep 0, Root batting 18, Brook batting 30; **Extras:** (lb 4, nb 6) 10; **Total** (for 3 wickets in 20 ovs) **77**; **FoW:** 1-13, 2-13, 3-25; **Bowling:** Krishna 3-0-11-0, Siraj 7-2-21-1, Akash Deep 7-1-36-2, Nitish 1-0-1-0; Jadeja 2-1-4-0.

Shubman Gill celebrates after reaching double century on Thursday | AFP

More questions than answers for Indian football

CHANDRA PRABHU @Chennai

INDIAN football is now looking for its third head coach for the men's team in the last 13 months. The latest on the list being Spanish coach Manolo Marquez who left the job after a forgettable stint on Wednesday. Marquez replaced Igor Stimac in June 2024 after ticking all the boxes of the All India Football Federation (AIFF), who were looking for a foreign coach to get the best out of the Indian players.

In the lead-up to his appointment, the Spaniard had led Indian Super League (ISL) team Hyderabad FC to a league title in 2022 before making FC Goa become one of the most attacking teams in 2023. However, he was not able to replicate any of it with the Indian team. To make matters worse, India did not win a single competitive game under Marquez, with their last win against Kuwait(1-0) in the FIFA World Cup qualifiers round two fixture coming back in November 2023. Underwhelming football tactics and lack of goals made watching India play an eyesore. It all piled on and culminated in Marquez deciding to leave the job as the AIFF had ratified this decision in an executive committee meeting at New Delhi on Wednesday.

As AIFF looks for a replacement, NA Haris, vice president of the body, said that applications will be entertained by a separate committee to hire the next coach. "We would prefer someone who is Indian and has worked with youth players," he told this daily. However, he reiterated that the AIFF will entertain applications from 'everyone and anyone', suggesting that candidates need not necessarily have to be an Indian. "The committee will start screening applicants immediately and would then shortlist at least five candidates for the interview out of which one would be hired," he stated.

If they do look at youth team coaches, Bibiano Fernandes could be one of the names in contention. Fernandes has led India U17 teams to three successive U17 Asian Cup appearances from 2018 to 2023. He now leads the U19 team, after a brief stint with the B team of ISL outfit Bengaluru FC. Another candidate might be head coach of Jamshedpur FC Khalid Jamil. Jamil, who is the only Indian coach in the ISL, has led them to two ISL cup semifinals, in addition to a final appearance in the Super Cup this year. Marquez's departure comes at a torrid time for Indian football, where things have sort of spiralled both on and off the field. India's chances of qualifying to the AFC Asian Cup hangs in the balance as they sit at the bottom in Group C, with lower-ranked teams Hong Kong (153), Singapore (161) and Bangladesh (183) ahead of them. Considering the volume and quality of players at India's disposal, in addition to their exposure to top foreign personnel, India's position only brings a lot of questions.

Whoever takes the reigns as head coach might have a tough road ahead.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Fans leave tributes to Diogo Jota at Anfield Stadium in Liverpool on Thursday | AP

Football family shocked by Liverpool star Jota's death

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LIVERPOOL forward Diogo Jota and his brother died in a car crash in Spain on Thursday, police said, weeks after the Portugal star got married, sparking widespread grief.

The Civil Guard said a vehicle veered off a motorway and burst into flames shortly after midnight in the municipality of Cernadilla in the northwestern Zamora province, confirming the deaths of Jota, 28, and his brother Andre Silva.

"Everything points to the blowout of a tyre while it (the vehicle) was overtaking," the Civil Guard said in a statement, adding that the corpses had been taken to a morgue.

Local media published video footage showing debris and the charred, mangled remains of what they identified as Jota's Lamborghini on the side of a motorway.

Portugal great Cristiano Ronaldo paid tribute to Jota on *X*, saying the death "makes no sense" just weeks after his marriage and their UEFA Nations League title with the national team. "We will all miss you," the superstar forward wrote.

'Khelo Bharat NITI 2025 aims to improve sports ecosystem'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @T'Puram

KHELO Bharat NITI 2025, the new sports policy approved by the Union Government, will help transform India to an advanced country in sports, said G Kishore, regional head & principal of Lakshmibai National College of Physical Education (LNCPE) on Thursday.

He was speaking in a media conclave on the policy, organised by the Sports Authority of India's (SAI) regional centre here. The session aimed to discuss the transformative initiatives of the policy.

Kishore presented the key aspects of the policy and its role in nation-building. "Even though the current performance of our athletes is commendable, we expect more people to step into the field. That is why implementation of a new policy has become the need of the hour," said the principal.

Kishore also highlighted the five pillars of transformation mentioned in the policy- global excellence, education integration, economic development, social development and people's movement.

The policy, which aligns with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, is designed to step up India to a leading sports nation by 2036, the year in which India is bidding to host the Olympics.

Radhakrishnan Nair P, chief coach of Indian athletics (AFI) stressed the importance of talent identification from the school level. When asked about the reduced share of athletes from Kerala in national-level athletics, the coach responded, "There is a general tendency for Malayali athletes to drop out once they enter into jobs. It is a fact that the sports field in Kerala is not able to match up to the level of other states like it used to do in our prime."

New activities will be implemented to engage more women, those from marginalised communities, and people with disabilities in the sports arena, as per the new sports policy.

A massive talent identification drive and test manuals for the same are under consideration. Provisions will be provided for corporate companies to take part in the country's sports field through public-private partnerships (PPPs).

C Dhandapani, director of SAI, Thiruvananthapuram, Piyush Jain, Physical Education Foundation of India (PEFI) director, Pradip Dutta associate professor, LNCPE, SAI high performance directors Wazir Singh (Athletics) and Piyush Kumar Dubey (Hockey), SAI scientific officers Snehangshu Adhikari and Yumnam Momo Singh were present in the conclave.

Can India seal series?

Harmanpreet Kaur & Co will look to secure the T20I series in the third game against England. A look...

Beaumont to lead England

With skipper Nat Sciver-Brunt missing the third T20I due to an injury in the left groin, senior batter Tammy Beaumont will captain the hosts in the must-win game. A loss here would mean they would concede the series to India.

Eyes on Shafali

She made her India comeback on the back of a big domestic season, but Shafali Verma has not lit up the stage so far. A big match-winning innings from the young hard-hitting opener is long overdue and she would want to get it out of the way on Friday.

Shree Charani on the rise

Since making her debut for India, the 20-year-old spinner from Andhra has grabbed the limelight. In a team filled with spin-bowling all-rounders, N Shree Charani is quietly carving out a place for herself. Expect her to shine in the rest of the series.

England vs India, 3rd T20I, The Oval ● Live on Sony Sports Network, 11.05PM

Asiad medallist among 35 in NADA's doping list

INDRANEEL DAS @Chennai

ASIAN Games medallist in canoe, international medallists and quite a few minors are on the latest list of provisionally suspended athletes. Arjun Singh, a canoeist from Uttarakhand but part of the Madhya Pradesh academy, won bronze medal at the 2022 Hangzhou Asian Games held in 2023.

The National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) released the new list on Thursday. There are about 35 names and at least four are minors from various disciplines — weightlifting, powerlifting athletics, wrestling, boxing and even sports like wushu, judo and canoe.

Arjun tested positive for Methyltestosterone, an anabolic steroid that attracts a ban of up to four years for first offence. The 18-year-old also won medals at the National Games as well. Arjun had won the Asian Games medal alongside Sunil Singh Salam at the men's sprint C-2 1000m.

What seems even more intriguing is the positive test of one — Kadir Khan. There is confusion about the name because of the date of birth listed as January 1, 2005. Even the Athletics Federation of India (AFI) has no intimation about such a failed test. The NADA had collected urine sample from one Kadir on May 13, the day two meet records were broken in 24 hours at the Khelo India Youth Games held in Bihar. However, the date of birth on the World Athletics profile page is January 1 2008. What seems interesting is that another minor in the new list tested positive for the same mephentermine. Another former junior Asian athletics medallist also tested positive for EPO (Erythropoietin) and stimulant Octodrine. Long-distance runner Poonam Dinkar Sonune, who has won medal at junior international events and at senior national and Khelo India University Games, tested positive and is facing four-year suspension.

Once again the top defaulters are from athletics, weightlifting and wrestling. A minor testing positive in kabaddi should be a big concern as well. The youngster tested positive for steroid 19-Norandrosterone. There are about six from the National Games held earlier this year. There are Khelo India Youth Games athletes as well.

Shivpal Singh's name, too, has been included on the list.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

EXPRESS READ

Gukesh in joint lead with Carlsen and So

ZAGREB: World champion D Gukesh came up with two straight victories to tie for the top spot along side World No 1 Magnus Carlsen of Norway, Duda Jan-Krzysztof of Poland and American Wesley So at the end of the first three rounds of Super United Rapid and Blitz Chess tournament.

Suryavanshi slams 86 to power India U19

NORTHAMPTON: Vaibhav Suryavanshi continued his rich vein of form by smashing a record nine sixes as India defeated England by four wickets in the rain-truncated third U19 Youth ODI to take a 2-1 lead in the five-match series here. The 14-year-old hit 86 off 31 as India chased England's 268/6 in 34.3 overs.

WIMBLEDON

Record-chasing Djokovic crushes Evans

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NOVAK Djokovic crushed British wildcard Dan Evans in the Wimbledon second round as he stepped up his bid for a record 25th Grand Slam title, while defending women's champion Barbora Krejcikova battled into the third round. Djokovic needed just one hour and 47 minutes to dispatch Evans with a ruthless 6-3, 6-2, 6-0 victory.

Eight top 10 seeds in the men's and women's singles were beaten in the first round, which ranks as the most at a Grand Slam in the Open era.

Only one of the top five women's seeds — World No 1 Aryna Sabalenka — is still standing.

But Krejcikova and Iga Swiatek avoided joining the big name casualties with hard-fought three set wins. Krejcikova overcame American Caroline Dolehide 6-4, 3-6, 6-2 to set up a meeting with Emma Navarro. Swiatek dropped the first set to American Caty McNally before roaring back to win 5-7, 6-2, 6-1.

Novak Djokovic hits a return against Dan Evans in the second round on Thursday | AP

Paolini stunned

Jasmine Paolini, the last year's runner-up in the women's singles, suffered a shock second-round exit (4-6, 6-4, 6-4) against Russian Kamilla Rakhimova late on Wednesday.

Balaji advances

India's N Sriram Balaji and his Mexican partner Miguel Reyes-Varela defeated American duo of Learner Tien and Aleksandar Kovacevic 6-4, 6-4 to advance. **Thursday's results (Select): Rd 2: Men:** Dimitrov (BUL x19) bt Moutet (FRA) 7-5, 4-6, 7-5, 7-5; Mensik (CZE x15) bt Giron (USA) 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, 7-6 (4); De Minaur (AUS x11) bt Cazaux (FRA) 4-6, 6-2, 6-4, 6-0; Djokovic (SRB x6) bt Evans (GBR) 6-3, 6-2, 6-0. **Women:** Andreeva (RUS x7) bt Bronzetti (ITA) 6-1, 7-6 (4); Navarro (USA x10) bt Kudermetova (RUS) 6-1, 6-2; Alexandrova (RUS x18) bt Lamens (NED) 6-4, 6-0; Rybakina (KAZ x11) bt Sakkari (GRE) 6-3, 6-1.

₹20.5 CR Government of India has approved ₹20.55 crore for the establishment of a biotech incubation centre at Indira Gandhi Agricultural University campus in Raipur, Chhattisgarh

AI CAN TRANSFORM BUSINESSES, BUT BEWARE OF THE PITFALLS

UMA KANNAN @ BENGALURU

TECHNOLOGIES such as Artificial Intelligence (AI) immensely help organisations enhance their decision-making process, but they also come up with newer and more complex risks in the form of AI-powered cyber attacks and unethical deployment of AI.

According to a latest Accenture report, 92% of the country's organisations "are not adequately prepared to secure their AI-driven future". It further states that 81% of Indian companies are in the 'exposed zone', indicating they lack a cohesive cybersecurity strategy and the necessary technical capabilities. Only 19% of these have the essential data and AI security practices needed to protect critical business models, data pipelines and cloud infrastructure.

"In India's fast-evolving digital economy, the AI revolution is rewriting the rules of cybersecurity. As generative AI accelerates innovation, it also amplifies risks—making cyber resilience a strategic priority, not (just) a technical afterthought. Companies must embed security into the foundation of every AI initiative to not only safeguard trust but to lead with confidence in a rapidly shifting threat landscape," said Gautam Kapoor, Managing Director and Lead–Cybersecurity, Accenture India.

Despite soaring trends of AI enterprise adoption, only 19% of Indian organisations have implemented clear policies and training for GenAI use. Also, only a few maintain a comprehensive inventory of AI systems, which is crucial for managing supply chain risks.

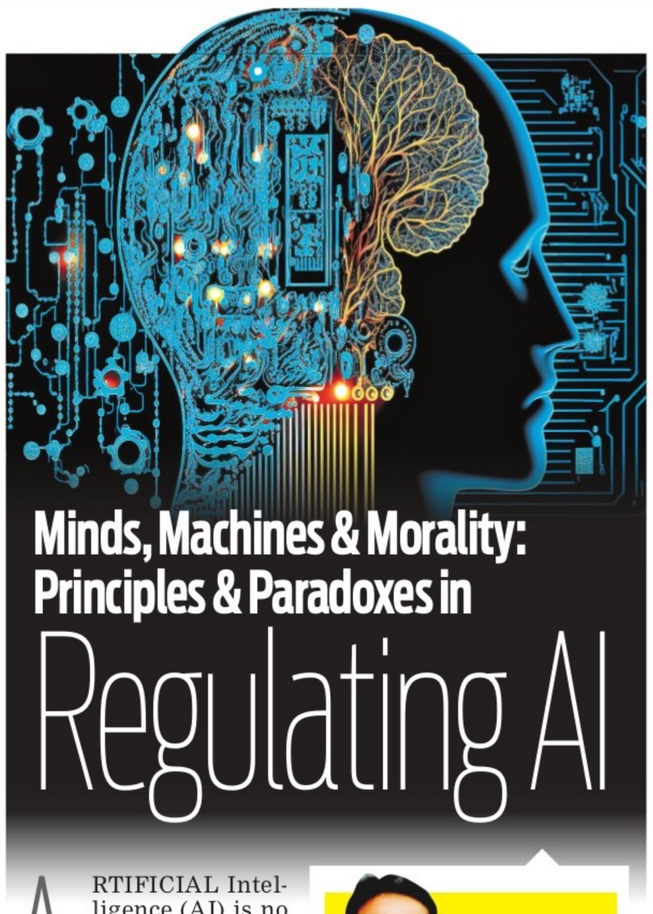
The research identified three distinct security maturity zones based on an

organisation's cybersecurity strategy and technical capabilities. While the top group: the 'Reinvention Ready Zone', comprising only 8% of Indian organisations in India, has an "adaptive resilient security posture" that continuously evolves to counter emerging threats; the middle 11% resides in the 'Progressing Zone', showing some strength "but struggles with defining strategic direction or implementing defences". The most at-risk group, in the 'Exposed Zone', makes up 81% of the organisations, characterised by "limited cyber readiness and a reactive posture to threats".

It says reinvention-ready companies, however, are 69% less likely to face advanced attacks and are 1.5 times more effective at blocking them.

THE REPORT ADDS THE FOUR CRITICAL ACTIONS THAT ARE NECESSARY TO REACH THE 'REINVENTION READY ZONE':

1. Develop and deploy a fit-for-purpose security governance framework and operating model
2. Design a digital core to be GenAI secure from the outset by embedding security into AI development, deployment and operational processes
3. Maintain resilient AI systems with secure foundations that proactively addresses emerging threats, enhance detection capabilities, enable AI-model testing and improve response mechanisms
4. Reinvent cybersecurity with GenAI by leveraging it to automate security processes, strengthen cyber defenses and detect threats sooner



Minds, Machines & Morality: Principles & Paradoxes in Regulating AI

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ARTIFICIAL Intelligence (AI) is no longer emerging, it is embedding. From cancer diagnosis, surveillance and legal drafting; AI has become a crucial decision-making layer in our lives. Yet while innovation accelerates, regulatory frameworks lag. Across regions, lawmakers invoke a familiar set of principles: fairness, explainability, accountability, safety and human oversight.

But behind this apparent consensus lies deeper issues—these ideals are difficult to define, harder to measure and often impossible to enforce. The result is not just a regulatory lag, but a growing mismatch between the complexity of modern AI systems and the simplicity of legal frameworks.

Another foundational challenge is definitional—what exactly is AI? Too many definitions exist across the world. The term can refer to everything from statistical classifiers and chatbots, to autonomous drones and artificial general intelligence. Till we come to a consensus, we risk a fragmented approach to regulation. A narrow definition risks regulatory blind spots, while a broad one may stifle aspirational innovation. Without clarity on what is being regulated, no noble principle can be effectively applied. Fairness is the most cited principle in AI ethics. But what does "fair" mean? Metrics like demographic parity, equal opportunity and equalized odds can end up contradicting each other. Also, the idea of fairness is culturally contingent, like a gender-neutral hiring algorithm in the UK might completely miss caste or regional disparities in India.

Transparency and explainability are essential for building trust in AI. The deep learning models like GPT-4 are fundamentally "black boxes", as they generate outputs by computing a large set of complex probabilistic relationships across billions of parameters. So, in such cases, forcing machines to produce human-understandable explanations for their decisions is not just difficult, but can also be misleading and counterproductive. Accountability, too, becomes quite murky in distributed AI systems.

Meanwhile, the push for risk-based regulation, especially visible in the EU AI Act, 2024, offers a pragmatic pathway but also suffers from rigidity. A tool categorized as low-risk today might be repurposed into a high-risk context tomorrow. Generative models that began as daily assistants now offer professional level medical and legal advice. Without continuous and rigorous reassessment, risk tiers may become outdated and thus, allowing 'risk-washing' by actors who underreport capabilities to evade scrutiny.

So, where do we go from here to ensure that AI gets regulated and serves humanity? First, AI regulations must be adaptive. Features like built-in sunset clauses, timely and regularly updating risk tiers and using sandboxes to test innovation under supervision can act as dynamic components. Second, there should be confluence of traceable causality with tiered liability across the AI lifecycle to assign accountability: developers for design flaws, deployers for misuse and auditors for systemic bias. Third, the laws must promote ethical pluralism as fairness which cannot be standardized globally but it can be localized. Fourth, we may think of integrating AI oversight with sectoral regulators—finance, health, transport; rather than building new siloed verticals. And fifth, we need global governance coalitions that bridge nations on core values and build consensus. In conclusion, it can be said that regulating AI isn't just a legal exercise, rather it's an ideological balancing act for human civilization. Like the samudra manthan in Hindu mythology, AI law must separate promise from peril, efficiency from exploitation and progress from predation. To do this, we must move towards responsive, adaptive, rights-anchored and risk-sensitive regulation.

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RailOne App

Is one-stop platform for all train services

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THE Indian Railways has launched a new mobile application called 'RailOne' to make train travel easier, and improve passenger interface. This all-in-one app combines many railway services, previously available on separate apps, into a single platform. It is available to download on both Android and iOS devices.

All services in one app

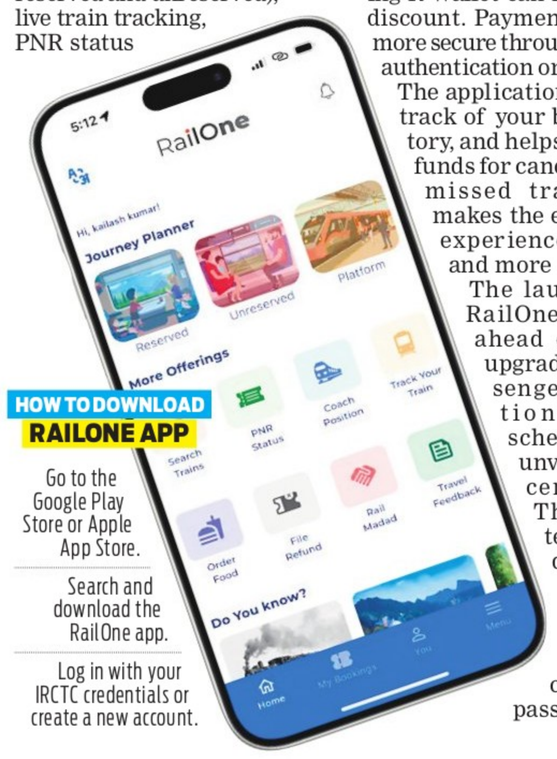
RailOne integrates the features of multiple existing apps like: IRCTC Rail Connect, UTSonMobile, NTES, Rail Madad and Food on Track. Passengers would now be able access services such as ticket booking (both reserved and unreserved), live train tracking, PNR status updates, grievance redressal, food delivery to your seat, porter booking, coach position finder, taxi services and refund management—all from one app.

While the IRCTC will continue to manage reserved ticket bookings, it has authorized RailOne to offer bookings for both reserved and unreserved tickets. Users with existing IRCTC or UTS accounts can log in directly into the RailOne app using the existing credentials, saving time and effort.

One of the app's most useful features is 'Live Train Tracking', which shows real-time location of trains, platform numbers and any expected delays. Additionally introduced is 'R-Wallet', the Indian Railways' digital payments system. Users booking unreserved tickets using R-Wallet can receive a 3% discount. Payments are made more secure through biometric authentication or mPIN.

The application also keeps track of your booking history, and helps manage refunds for cancellations or missed trains. This makes the entire travel experience smoother and more organised.

The launch of the RailOne app comes ahead of a major upgrade to the Passenger Reservation System, scheduled to be unveiled in December 2025. The new system will handle more traffic, offer more options and improve access for all passengers.



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Search and download the RailOne app.

Log in with your IRCTC credentials or create a new account.

NEW DEVICES

Dell, Alienware launch high-end flagship gaming desktops

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

DELL Technologies and Alienware have launched two new Alienware desktops, the Alienware Area-51 and Alienware Aurora in India. While the Alienware Area-51 is the new flagship AI PC representing the pinnacle of gaming, the Alienware Aurora caters to a variety of gamer personas, featuring a purpose-built design that exudes premium quality and adaptability across diverse scenarios.

Both desktops can be configured up to the Intel Core Ultra 9 K series CPUs and the NVIDIA GeForce RTX 50 Series GPUs, said Dell.

Raj Kumar Rishi, Vice-President and Managing Director, consumer and small business, Dell Technologies India said, "The demand for aspirational gaming machines is surging, as gamers continue to push boundaries like never before."

Atul Mehta, Senior Director and General Manager, India consumer channel, Dell Technologies, said: "Alienware Area-51 and Aurora desktops reflect Alienware's iconic design language, offer exceptional thermal performance, groundbreaking architecture and support for the most demanding Intel Ultra CPUs and NVIDIA RTX 50 Series GPUs. Dedicated AI accelerators provide intelligent performance across gaming, creation and streaming apps where AI capabilities are possible. "

PRICE

Alienware Area-51 starts at

₹5,09,263.22

Alienware Aurora starts at

₹1,92,526.44

Alienware Area-51

It is the quietest, coolest-running and highest-performing desktop in the Alienware lineup, said the company. The Alienware Area-51 showcases Dell's most advanced thermal strategy to date, combining a redesigned airflow system, larger-diameter fans, and expansive liquid cooling options.

During marathon gaming sessions, the Area-51 can deliver up to 50% more processing power, with graphics temperatures lowered by up to 2.4%, all while operating up to 45% quieter than any Alienware desktop from the past three years.

Alienware Aurora

The Aurora equipped with up to the Intel Core Ultra 9 Series CPUs, up to 64GB of 6400MHz XMP RAM (a 23% increase in memory bandwidth), and up to NVIDIA GeForce RTX 5080 GPUs, that not only boost current performance but also future proofs the system for whatever challenges lie ahead.

Its compact, purpose-built design is both functional and thermally optimized, featuring a 240mm CPU liquid cooling solution along with 120mm front and rear fans.

TECHNOLOGY BUZZ

Whirlpool unveils 'Kalakriti' range inspired by Indian heritage

Whirlpool of India Ltd, a subsidiary of Whirlpool Corporation, has launched the 'Kalakriti' collection—a new range of frost-free glass single-door refrigerators inspired by traditional Indian art, architecture and vibrant colours. Designed for the modern Indian home, this range blends cultural pride with contemporary elegance.

Commenting on the launch, Nakul Tewari, VP–Marketing, Whirlpool of India Ltd, said that the collection reflects India's unique mix of technological progress and cultural richness.The range features two standout designs: Swarna, inspired by handcrafted gold jewellery symbolizing opulence, and Karigari, which pays homage to India's rich embroidery culture. Available in Frost-Free (235L & 259L) and Direct Cool (192L & 207L) models, prices start at ₹19,080. The collection is now available online, and in major retail outlets.With Kalakriti, Whirlpool strengthens its commitment to culturally rooted innovation that resonates with Indian consumers.

Nothing unveils Phone (3) as its first true flagship smartphone

London-based Nothing has launched the Phone (3), its "first true flagship smartphone". Crafted with premium material, the Phone (3) features a pro-grade camera system with a 1/1.3" main sensor, 4K 60fps video, and lossless optical zoom. The 6.67" AMOLED display delivers 1.5K resolution, 4500 nits peak brightness and a 120Hz adaptive refresh rate. Powered by the Snapdragon 8s Gen 4, it delivers 36% faster CPU performance and 88% better graphics than the Phone (2). It houses a 5500mAh battery with 65W wired and 15W wireless fast charging.Running the Nothing OS 3.5 (Android 15), it introduces smart AI features like Essential Search, Flip to Record and Essential Space; aiming for utility over gimmicks.Available in Black and White, the Phone (3) starts at ₹62,999 (12+256GB) and ₹72,999 (16+512GB). Pre-bookings begin on July 1, 2025.

Mr. Simple WhatsApp bot of Tata asset management

Tata Asset Management Ltd (Tata AMC) has launched an AI-powered WhatsApp bot 'Mr. Simple'. With this bot, AMC is bridging and simplifying investing to its users by expanding their digital access, offering them sevices such as the ability to start an SIP, make lumpsum investments, redeem units or check NAVs—all through a simple WhatsApp conversation. The bot also supports key service requests such as updating bank details or downloading statements, without requiring users to log into separate platforms or navigate complex interfaces. "We are focused on bringing convenience in investing. The recent launch of our mobile app, and now our AI-powered WhatsApp bot is a testament to that focus. By leveraging AI and conversational interfaces, we are reshaping how investors discover, decide and act on their terms, and in real time. It reflects our broader vision of using technology to make investing simpler, smarter and more inclusive," said Hemant Kumar, Chief Distribution and Digital Officer of Tata Asset Management Ltd.

Gartner announces 2025's top trends in software engineering

Gartner, Inc has announced the top strategic trends in software engineering for 2025, and beyond. These trends enable organisations to accelerate innovation through AI-driven automation and adopt efficient, future-ready engineering practices. These include AI-native software engineering, building LLM-based applications and agents, GenAI platform engineering, maximising talent density, growth of open GenAI models and ecosystem and green software engineering. Gartner predicts that by 2028, 90% of enterprise software engineers will use AI code assistants, up from less than 14% in early 2024. The role of developers will shift from implementation to orchestration, focussing on problem solving and system design, and ensuring AI tools deliver high quality outcomes. "AI-enabled tools and technologies are fundamentally changing how software is built and delivered," said Joachim Herschmann, Vice President Analyst at Gartner.